WEATHER FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Light to moderate northerly winds; fair, not much change in temperature.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Generally fair, not much change in temperature.

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Remaining Members Of Wells' Expedition Back From Siberia

Were Passengers on Iyo Maru—Charles Wells Died Ostensibly of Pneumonia While Held in Confinement at Vladivostok—Eleven Eskimos Only Surviving Members of Party of Fourteen

SCHOONER DESTROYED BY SOVIET WARSHIP

THE last hours of Charles Wells, Arctic empire builder, whose dreams of a fur trading domain on uninhabited Wrangel Island were blasted by the guns of a Soviet warship, are described by members of the Wells expedition, who are returning to their homes in Alaska, by way of Victoria, today. Eleven Eskimos, all that remain of a party of fourteen who went to claim Wrangel Island for the United States, are passengers aboard the Iyo Maru, which arrives from the Orient at daybreak this morning.

This party was taken from Wrangel Island last Fall by the Soviet Government ship Red October, and taken to Vladivostok, where Charles Wells, who headed the expedition, and two other members of his party died. The Eskimos on their arrival at Seattle will be taken care of by the American Red Cross Association, clothed and given transportation to their homes in Alaska.

Died of Pneumonia

An adventurer in the No-Man's Land of the Arctic, where the arm of the American Government was unable to reach out over the rim of the ice packs to shield him, Wells and thirteen native Alaskans who accompanied him on his expedition "North of 56," were deported from Wrangel Island several months ago and taken to Vladivostok, where they were held in confinement. Wells died ostensibly of pneumonia. It was ten days after his death that the news leaked through, first from unofficial sources, such as traders, and eventually in an official dispatch to Washington, D.C.

The story is pieced together from the meagre information that has leaked through, together with verifications from the Eskimos in the party, who do not speak English very well.

No Man's Land

As a background for the tale, there is Wrangel Island, a caption which is well thumbed in reference books in newspaper offices all over the world, for until a few years ago it was a vocable seldom heard, and then only in the talk of the men who glean a hazardous living from the furs and the fish of the far north. In the encyclopedias no nation is assigned as its proprietor.

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Vancouver Board of Trade Protests Plans For Ocean Freight War

VANCOUVER, Feb. 12.—Formal protest of the Vancouver Board of Trade against the proposal of the Federal Government to subsidize a line of ocean steamers to engage in a rate war will be registered in Ottawa. Decision to protest was reached at a meeting of the council of the board this afternoon. It was decided to ask the Government for a copy of the Preston report and to make the additional request that no action on the proposal be taken until trade organizations have had an opportunity to consider its possible effect.

CONSULT HOUSE ON GENEVA PROTOCOL

FOREIGN SECRETARY REASSURES PARLIAMENT

Declares Government Has No Negotiations for Separate Pact With Any Nation

LONDON, Feb. 12.—The Government has no idea of committing Great Britain to the Geneva protocol or any fresh obligations of a like character without the assent of Parliament, Foreign Secretary Chamberlain declared today.

Mr. Chamberlain was replying to a question in the Commons as to whether the Government was considering a new pact of alliance and security with France, and whether the House could be consulted before Great Britain was in any way committed to an agreement which might involve the country in war.

The Foreign Secretary further stated that the Government has entered into no negotiations for a separate pact with any nation. He asserted that the Government was engaged in the consideration of the great questions raised by the protocol, and that whatever decision was reached regarding this instrument would be communicated to Parliament.

TO REVERT TO GOLD STANDARD IN TIME

CHANCELLOR DECLARES GOVERNMENT FAVORS PLAN

Informs House He Is Not in Position to Make a More Definite Announcement

LONDON, Feb. 12.—It is the British Government's intention to revert to the gold standard at the earliest possible moment, Winston Spencer Churchill, Chancellor of the Exchequer, announced in the House of Commons today, replying to a question put to him on the subject.

"His Majesty's Government," said Mr. Churchill, "is in full agreement with the declared intentions of previous administrations to revert to the gold standard at the earliest possible moment. But I am not in a position to make a more definite statement at present."

Being plied with further questions, Mr. Churchill maintained that he was unable to give further information and expressed the hope that the members would not press him. Asked about the Italian debt, he said that when he was in Paris the Italian Minister of Finance had expressed to him a desire that conversations on this question should be initiated within the next few months.

Increased Interest in Scouting Reported at Ontario Annual Meet

TORONTO, Feb. 12.—An increased interest in scouting by the public, a great increase in scout leaders, and evidence of a growth in strength was reported at the fifteenth annual meeting of the Ontario Boy Scout Association here today. Attendance at the conference was the largest ever recorded, and represented activities from all parts of the province, Commissioner Laurence said. In opening the conference. The 200 delegates represent 16,000 scouts in Ontario. "In no year have we ever recorded such a large number of scout supporters among Canadian citizens. This is the best evidence that scouting is understood and more thoroughly appreciated," the Commissioner said.

CHURCH UNION VOTE

TORONTO, Feb. 12.—The report on the Church Union vote issued tonight: For, 1,240; against, 421.

LIFE-TERMER TELLS OF MAIL HOLD-UP

SAN QUENTIN PRISONER DISCLOSES BANDITS' PLANS

Testifies to Preparation Made to Carry Out $400,000 Robbery at Railroad Crossing

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 12.—Herbert Wilson, serving a life term in San Quentin prison for murder, told the Federal court today the story of the organization of a gang that is alleged to have planned the $400,000 mail truck hold-up in March, 1921.

Wilson testified that the bandits stationed themselves at a railway crossing. Herbert Cox, who was killed in an attempted jail break by Wilson, went to the gate control tower and forced the watchman to lower the gates against the approaching mail truck, which was being followed by Wilson and a man named Berch in automobiles. When the truck stopped, the driver and guard were forced at pistol points to hand over control of the registered mail conveyance.

The bandits then drove the truck to a secluded spot, Wilson testified, when thirteen pouches were transferred to Wilson's car and taken to Wilson's home. Approximately $400,000 in cash, jewelry, stocks and bonds were taken. Arrangements were made to market the securities in Chicago, Wilson stated.

LIKENS MR. KING TO KING HEROD

SAYS PROGRESSIVES DEMAND SENATE'S HEAD OR CHANGE

Senator Beaubien Desires to Know If It Is Not Regrettable That Small Group Carries Premier

OTTAWA, Feb. 12.—"The Government is saying to the country: 'We are assuming the responsibility for the undermining of the constitution.' In its attack on the Senate," declared Senator Beaubien, Montreal, continuing the debate in the Senate this afternoon. "Is it not regrettable to see a man like the Premier carried by a small group of people? Be careful! We are a minority in my Province and we have much at stake. Those who represent my Province in the Government have no right to do this thing."

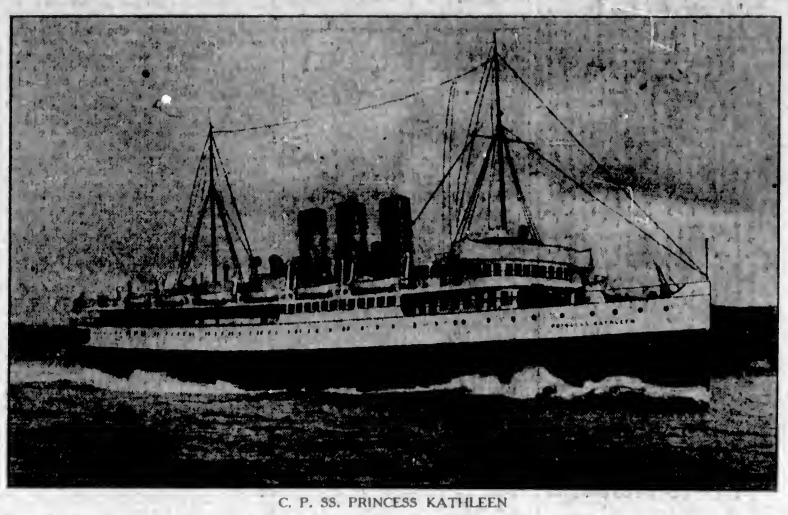
Senator Beaubien referred to the Government's proposal for reforming the Senate as "nothing but bombastic talk."

Injustice to Quebec

The Government, he added, was not doing the right thing by Quebec, and though dependent upon that Province for its power, it dared to lift its head against the Senate.

Certain Western people "whose roots were not deep in the soil of Canada," asked the "Almighty Liberal party" to present to them the head of the Senate as soon as it could be obtained. The Senate said Senator Beaubien was a democratic institution created to control legislation.

To Be Greeted By Thousands on Her Arrival



C. P. SS. PRINCESS KATHLEEN

Completing her maiden voyage from Clydebank, Scotland, the Princess Kathleen will be given a rousing reception by thousands of Victoria people on her arrival here this afternoon at 3 o'clock. A special boat has been placed at the disposal of the public and nearly 1,000 people will go out to William Head to catch the first glimpse of the C. P. R.'s new $1,500,000 steamer as she rounds Race Rocks.

GREAT DAMAGE DONE BY STORM

California Visited by Tornado Which Wrecks Trains, Rips Buildings and Causes One Death

MANY MILES OF RAILS AND HIGHWAYS WASHED OUT

Loss Will Run Into Many Thousands of Dollars, and Squalls Are Not Yet Over, But Floods Recede

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 12.—Northern and Central California were recovering tonight from the preliminary buffets of a storm severe enough to rip numerous buildings from their foundations, cause at least one train wreck, wash out railroads and highways at intervals for a collective total of many miles, prostrate light and power wires and even change the contour of the landscape in places by causing tremendous landslides.

The storm is not yet over, according to the United States bureau here, but it is generally believed that the "peak" has passed and that there will be a quick subsidence of the elemental joust that thus far has caused many thousands of dollars' damage and indirectly taken one life.

Cave-In Kills Man

John Watson, a former marine and former resident of Aberdeen, Wash., was killed in a cellar cave-in near St. Helena, north of Napa. Two fellow workers, R. S. White and C. D. Clark, were injured, White seriously.

The flood waters were receding gradually, but the railroads and highways of the storm region, particularly in coast counties, were minor lakes and landslides. The Northwestern Pacific Railroad, virtually bereft of all service since early yesterday morning, hoped to get two stalled passenger trains through from Eureka tonight. This railroad ran stub trains between local points, where the storm lakes and landslides along the right-of-way permitted. It was on this line that the wreck occurred, the locomotive and two coaches of a southbound passenger train sinking into a rain-formed slough at Novato, 25 miles north of here, and overturning.

WORKERS AT CAVE ARE DISHEARTENED

MAY TAKE SEVERAL DAYS TO REACH MAN

At Early Hour This Morning Engineer in Charge Expressed Disappointment at Drill's Showing

CAVE CITY, Ky., Feb. 13.—Early this morning the diamond core drill had been pushed down the Sand Cave rescue shaft to a depth of sixty feet and H. T. Carmichael, in charge of the shaft operations, expressed great disappointment, that no bottom had yet been found to the limestone "roof." Apparently the officials were seeking to drive through the "soft spot" just below the fifty-foot mark to locate a larger tunnel or cave-in just below. About seven feet of sandstone had ben probed below the stratum of dirt with no indications of a cave-in, and at 12:13 a.m. the drill was still boring downward. It would take several days to excavate through the ten feet between the present depth of the shaft and the sixty-foot mark, if seven feet of limestone was to be removed, and the officials seemed greatly disheartened.

Son of Cigarette Maker Killed

BERNE, Feb. 12.—W. Willis, son of a British cigarette manufacturer, was killed today in an avalanche while climbing the Schilthorn of the Bernese Netherland Murren. His companion, a Miss Mueller, was buried but was dug out alive.

Aggrieved Housemaid Fails in Damage Suit Against Vancouverite

VANCOUVER, Feb. 12.—W. F. Hanbury, lumberman, charged with assault by a former housemaid, Mrs. Lily Rolph, whom he ejected from his home after summary dismissal rather than accede to her demand for two weeks' pay in lieu of notice before she left his premises, was found not guilty by a jury this afternoon in Supreme Court. Mr. Justice Morrison presiding. This brought to a finish a two-day trial occasioned by Mrs. Rolph's charges of assault against Mr. Hanbury and her claims for $10,000 general damages for alleged injuries, and $300 approximately for special damages.

PRESTON REPORT ON COMBINE IS TABLED

PREMIER KING MOVES THAT DOCUMENT BE PRINTED

Sir Henry Drayton Is Informed That the Bill and Contract Will Be Brought Down Later

OTTAWA, Feb. 12.—A motion by the Prime Minister, just before adjournment this evening, that the Preston report on the North Atlantic steamship combine be printed in English and French for the convenience of the members, prompted Sir Henry Drayton to ask if the contract with the Paterson interests would also be tabled.

The Premier replied that a bill would be brought down later, which time the contract also would be presented to the House.

Sir Henry remarked that the report would be much more enlightening if the members also knew, at the time

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VICTORIA WILL WELCOME SHIP

Princess Louise Will Leave Inner Harbor at 2 P.M. to Meet Princess Kathleen Off Race Rocks

NEW PRINCESS IS DUE AT 3 O'CLOCK

Banquet to Be Held in Honor of Captain J. W. Troup at Empress Hotel on Monday Evening

THOUSANDS of people will throng the Causeway, Belleville Street, the C. P. R. docks and the decks of the Princess Louise to greet the arrival of the Canadian Pacific's new $1,500,000 coastwise steamer, Princess Kathleen, at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

At 1 o'clock people with tickets for the special excursion on the Princess Louise, which is going out to William Head to meet the vessel, will be allowed on board, and at 2 p.m. the vessel will steam out of port to give Victoria's first greeting to Captain J. W. Troup, and Captain R. W. McMurray, who is master of the new steamer.

All members of the Chamber of Commerce will be able to secure tickets up till 10 o'clock this morning. After that hour invitations will be open to the public.

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Ross Watson Willing to Waive Extradition Plan

Seattle Man Held in Connection With Nanaimo Bank Robbery Publishes Statement and Declares His Willingness to Come to Canada and Prove His Innocence—Asks Only for Quick Trial or for Reasonable Bail

SEATTLE, Feb. 12.—Following almost two months of court battle to evade extradition to British Columbia on a charge implicating him in the $42,000 daylight holdup of a Nanaimo bank, Ross C. Watson, former Seattle detective, has broken the silence of his King County jail cell and now declares he is willing and anxious to go to Canada voluntarily to stand trial.

He is not willing to go blindly and, not knowing what procedure he would face there, he told The Post-Intelligencer in a full statement. But he makes only two provisos, which he says are reasonable, coming from an innocent man.

Asks Early Trial

"All I ask the Canadians to guarantee is an early trial if I cross their boundary voluntarily—or, if they can not promise that, then I want to know that I will be admitted to reasonable bail pending my hearing."

Watson declares he is virtually without means. He says he is mindful of the fact that he has a home and family to maintain. He further declares he does not want to wait in jail a year or two while the question of his extradition to Canada is fought out in the courts.

"I'm not in a position to afford that," he sums up. "I know I'm innocent and ought not so be in jail at all. At first I was under the mistaken impression that I would have a right to bring in my witnesses here at the extradition hearing, and I banked on showing my innocence quickly in that way. Now I learn from the court's rulings, that even though I might have been teaching school with 100 pupils, who knew I was not in Nanaimo robbing a bank, I would still be subject to extradition if the Canadians asked for me under the Federal treaty.

"Some people seem to think a defendant can not get a fair hearing in Canada. But I believe that's wrong. I rather think I'd get as fair a trial there as here—maybe a fairer trial, if anything," he added.

ROSS C. WATSON

The former detective reiterated his former assertion that his prosecution by British Columbia authorities for the the Nanaimo holdup is due to mistaken identifications by Canadian witnesses.

"I do not doubt in the least the sincerity of the Canadians in holding me to answer this charge. Nor do I doubt my ability to convince them they are making a mistake," he put in.

Watson is one of five arrested after Forbes Cruickshanks, inspector of Canadian Provincial police, had trailed a gang of eight bandits who robbed the Nanaimo bank last December 12, and fled to the American side of the border in a large speed boat.

Two Hundred and Thirty Men Killed In German Mine

Greatest Disaster in Country's Mining History Caused by Terrific Explosion of Firedamp in Workings at Dortmund, Few of Workers Escaping—Afterdamp Completes Catastrophe

CAGES WORK UNCEASINGLY BRINGING BODIES TO SURFACE

DORTMUND, Feb. 12.—A terrific explosion of firedamp, which occurred in the Stein mine here last night, caused one of the greatest disasters in the history of German mining. The number of dead has gradually mounted until now it is feared the total deaths will reach the neighborhood of 230. Very few of the miners engaged in the workings escaped. Many of them were killed outright, but the majority are believed to have died from poisonous gases.

Bringing Bodies to Surface

The cages have been ascending and descending unceasingly throughout the day, bringing the bodies to the surface, and most distressing scenes are being enacted around the pithead.

Expert rescuers have been rushed to Dortmund from all over the country. Outside the pithead a police cordon has been drawn around, and crowds numbering thousands have been standing for the past twenty-four hours silently awaiting news, in the vain hope of their breadwinners emerging alive.

Notes Tell of Disaster

On some of the bodies notes were found describing the explosion and then proving that the men did not perish until they were overcome by gases. This also was proved by the fact that coffee jugs were found in several galleries, where they had been left by their owners, who had evidently fled, only to meet death from the afterdamp further on. Many of the miners could be recognized only by their identification discs, while on others there was no sign of external injury.

Mine On Fire

LONDON, Feb. 12.—A Cologne dispatch to The Daily Mail says that part of the Stein mine at Dortmund is ablaze. In consequence of this, rescue work in some sections has been abandoned.

A dispatch from Reuter's from Dortmund concerning the explosion in the Stein mine last night said:

"It is certain that the ninety men still in the mine are dead. The mine was regarded as exceptionally safe, owing to the perfect ventilating system which is now in use. Tuesday and Wednesday a series of trifling explosions occurred, but were disregarded as unimportant.

Filled With Firedamp

Thirty minutes before the midday shift changed over yesterday an explosion occurred on the first level of the mine, which was followed by other explosions on two lower levels, and the pit immediately filled with firedamp. The damaged ventilation system rendered the work of recovering bodies most hazardous, and one of the rescue party was killed.

A number of doctors and nurses are awaiting at the pit-head in the forlorn hope that some of the miners may be rescued alive.

NEW B.C. DRIVERS' PERMITS WILL BE READY ON MONDAY

All drivers of motor cars may secure the new driving licences next Monday on application at the office of the Provincial Police Department, Menzies Street, according to an announcement made yesterday. The permits or driving licences will cost $1 each, and, according to the new regulations passed at the recent session of the Legislature, it is compulsory that all those who drive cars secure them and have them in their possession at all times when driving.

The permits will be issued on payment of the necessary fee, and applicants will not this year be compelled to pass an examination as to their ability to properly drive and control a motor vehicle. It is also provided that juveniles over fifteen years of age and under seventeen, inclusive, may secure new permits on payment of the fee and production of their old permits.

In the event of a driver losing his or her permit, a new one may be secured on payment of twenty-five cents. All foreign cars—cars coming into the Province from outside points—must become equipped with at least one permit.

SCHOOL LEVY THIS YEAR TO DECREASE

ESTIMATE SMALLER THAN 1924 FIGURE BY $6,487

School Board Finally Passes Estimates for Year—Interesting and Sinking Fund Charges Less

Taxpayers of the city will be called upon to provide $422,167.04 for school purpose expenditures this year, according to the 1925 estimates as finally passed by the Board of School Trustees yesterday afternoon.

This total represents a decrease of $6,487.96 as compared with the sum levied for last year.

The estimated gross expenditure this year is $559,251.04, as compared with the actual gross expenditure last year of $560,014.38. Interest and sinking fund charges will fall from $82,291.04 last year to $88,849.04 this year. General operating expenses and teachers' salaries are estimated at a total of $470,402 this year, as opposed to $467,725 actually expended last year under these heads.

Estimated receipts for the present year total $134,655, as compared with actual revenue of $130,219.43 last year, a total which exceeded expectations by approximately $3,000.

The total to be levied for this year includes extraordinary expenses of $3,581, a sum which is subject to revision by the City Council. Included in this is $1,500 for the completion of the High School building and grounds scheme, and $500 for improvements to the Oaklands School property.

Teachers' salaries, inclusive of the regular annual increments, will reach a total of $360,165 this year. Night school salaries will total $4,500. Medical, dental and office expenses will be $26,192, and general operating expenses will be $89,545, according to the estimates passed yesterday afternoon.

ADDRESS ADOPTED BUT TALK GOES ON

REPLY TO SPEECH FROM THE THRONE PASSES HOUSE

Despite Action Speeches Will Continue Under Agreement Reached After Adjournment

OTTAWA, Feb. 12.—The Address in reply to the Speech from the Throne was adopted a few minutes after 6 o'clock in the House of Commons tonight, without a division and without an amendment.

The debate on the address is to be resumed in the House of Commons tomorrow. Despite the formal adoption of the motion there will be more speeches. Following the adjournment of the House, there were conferences between the party leaders. It was claimed by the Conservative Opposition that the motion had been submitted after 6 o'clock without the unanimous consent of the House having been obtained.

Contrary to Rules

This, it was urged, was contrary to the rules. The further point was taken that it was contrary to the agreement reached between party whips. Decision was consequently reached to restore the order to the order paper, and a motion to this effect is to be made tomorrow.

Contributors to the debate today were Herbert Marler, Liberal, St.

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TOMORROW TO BE DOLLAR DAY HERE

THOUSANDS OF BARGAINS TO BE OFFERED SHOPPERS

Old Stock Must Go Following the Christmas Stocktaking to Make Room for Spring Goods

Tomorrow will be a great day for Victoria shoppers. It will be a day when city merchants will put a stick of dynamite under the dollar; a day when they will give it the spur, step on the gas, fire up under all boilers, cast off the ropes and throw out sand bags; a day when they will touch off the dollar and send it rocketing up into the sky to burst into a thousand bargains. For tomorrow will be Dollar Day, when the purchasing value of the dollar will be many times its usual fold. Articles will go for a dollar tomorrow that on other days require a two-spot, a three-spot or a fiver.

Merely because tomorrow will be the day after the night before of the Press Club Ball, it does not follow that the two events are related. It is true that people for weeks have been preparing for the newspapermen's night off tonight, and that the function has had a Christmassy effect on shopping. Merchants declare, however, that it is not because a drop in trade is expected after the journalists' "hop" is a thing of the past that Dollar Day snaps are being offered the public tomorrow. There are other and more natural reasons, they say, for the prevalence of bargains in Victoria stores tomorrow.

This is the season of the year, it is pointed out, when stocktaking occurs in the wake of the Christmas and New Year's rush. Old stock is revealed that should be moving. Then again the requirements of the Spring trade have to be taken into calculation by the merchants. The shelves must be cleared for the new stock. Much of the old must go, even if at sacrificial prices.

Hence tomorrow will be a day of exceptionally low prices, with one dollar doing the work of several. Shoppers will be offered opportunities such as seldom occur to make purchases at bedrock prices.

Blind Taxi Owner Fined

VANCOUVER, Feb. 12.—Pete Collins, blind proprietor of a taxi and auto livery service, was fined $300 or three months' imprisonment in police court today upon his being convicted on a charge of selling beer.

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Storm Lanterns, to clear,	$1.19	Half Dozen Clover Leaf Cups and Saucers	$1.00
Thermos and Kit, pair	$1.89	Half Dozen Hand Painted Tea Cups and Saucers	$1.00
Two Four-Tie Brooms	$1.00	Half Dozen 8-inch White Dinner Plates	$1.00
Tungsten Lamps, 6 for	$1.00	One Dozen 6-inch White Plates for	$1.00
Electric Curling Irons	$1.00	Large Fancy Flower Vases for	$1.00
Flowered China Berry Sets for	$1.00		
Fancy Glass Berry Sets	$1.00		
Large Glass Berry Bowls, 2 for	$1.00		

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B.C. Sugar, 20 lbs. for $1.40

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B.-K. Rolled Oats, 7-lb. sack for	42¢	Pacific, St. Charles or Carnation Milk	11¢
B.-K. Wheat Flakes, large carton for	35¢	Okanagan Tomatoes	12¢

Malkin's Pure Orange Marmalade, 4-lb. tin for .....60¢

Red Arrow Crackers, large cartons for	20¢	Campbell's Soups, all kinds, two tins for	25¢
Bulk Cocoa, lb.	10¢	C. & B. Vinegar, large bottles for	20¢
Plantation Molasses, 5-lb. tin for	33¢	Gold Medal Peas, tin	10¢

Rich Mild Canadian Cheese, per pound .....25¢

Pure Lard, 20¢, 3 lbs. for	58¢	Fresh Dates, lb.	10¢
Government Creamery Butter, 38¢, 3 lbs. for	$1.10	Local Comb Honey, each	35¢
Sliced Ayrshire Roll, lb.	33¢	Fine Juicy Lemons, dozen	20¢
		Fig Bar Biscuits, lb.	22¢

Two Cents Per Pound Off All Fresh Meats Up Till 10 A.M., Today

Shoulders Young Pork, lb.	19¢	Prime Ribs of Beef, lb.,	20¢
and	15¢	and	17¢
Loins Young Pork, lb.	26¢, 24¢	Rump Roasts of Beef, lb.,	20¢
Legs Pork, lb.	27¢ and 25¢	and	17¢
Pot Roasts of Beef, lb.	10¢, 8¢	T-Bone Roasts, lb.	30¢
		Rolled Roasts of Beef, lb.	10¢

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USED TYPHOID AND DYSENTERY GERMS

SOVIET AGENT GIVES EVIDENCE AT LEIPSIC

Bacilli Was Supplied by Mysterious Women—Military Revolutionary Committee Formed

LEIPSIC, Germany, Feb. 12.—Mysterious women, known to the Communists as Eve and Lou, cholera bacilli and rabbits, held the centre of the stage before the tribunal which is conducting the trial of sixteen Communists, alleged to be members of the "German cheka" and charged with murder and terroristic acts.

One defendant, Felix Numann, testified for the state that one "Lou," a former employee of the Soviet embassy, introduced him to "Comrade Eve."

Typhoid and Dysentery

The latter supplied him with typhoid and dysentery bacilli, the effect of which he and other defendants tried on rabbits.

Numann testified that a revolutionary Communist committee was formed in Germany in 1923 on military lines; weapons were to be bought with money supplied by the Russian embassy in Berlin. He alleged that he himself once received 25,000 American dollars from the embassy, together with instructions from another defendant known as "Skodiewski" "to get rid of General von Seeckt, Hugo Stinnes and other prominent German industrialists."

PERSONAL PROPERTY TAX IS UNSOUND

MINISTER OF FINANCE TELLS VANCOUVER TRADERS

Has Under Advisement Possible Methods to Secure Revenue Without Disruption

VANCOUVER, Feb. 11.—Conceding that the personal property tax was unscientific and unsound in theory, Hon. Dr. J. D. MacLean, Provincial Minister of Finance, addressing the Wholesale Bureau of the Board of Trade at luncheon today, declared that the revenue which it yielded was necessary for carrying on the public business.

It was the only means, he said, of obtaining from certain classes of business their just contribution to the upkeep of democratic institutions. Classes thus reached were: Foreigners who kept no books and who, therefore, could not be accurately assessed for income tax; companies whose head offices are not in the Province; the hundreds of small fishing craft plying British Columbia waters and owned by aliens; exporters competing with British Columbia firms but operating here through local agents only.

Changes in System

Changes in the taxation system should be made slowly and with due caution not to disrupt existing conditions, the Minister contended, but said that he had under advisement a number of possible methods of substituting other sources of revenue for the personal property tax. Among these, he said, were:

Arbitrary assessment of an assumed profit against those who do not keep books, as is done by the Dominion Government and the United States.

A turnover tax on the business of firms whose base of supply is ostensibly or in reality extra Provincial.

A turnover tax on the business of all branch houses whose headquarters is situated outside the Province.

DEPOSITORS OF HOME BANK CONSIDERED

Unofficially Announced Ottawa Will Recognise Victims' "Moral Claim to Equity"

OTTAWA, Feb. 12.—Home Bank depositors and shareholders will know within a few days of their chances of Government reimbursement for their losses occasioned by the failure of the bank. Answering a question in the Commons, Premier King stated yesterday that he would make a statement of the Government's intention in this connection at the close of the debate on the Address in Reply to the Speech from the Throne. Tomorrow, or Monday at the latest, the promised statement would be made. The Premier called a caucus of the Liberal members today. It is understood that the claims of the Home Bank depositors and shareholders were discussed and some conclusion arrived at.

Moral Claim to Equity

Unofficially, but in quarters close to the Government, it is reported that there is a good chance of the Government recognizing the "moral claim in equity," which a committee of the House of Commons last session gave the depositors after considering the report of Mr. Justice McKeown on the subject.

The committee's report came at the end of the session, and Premier King informed the House then that the Government would announce its intention immediately after the opening of the present session. He gave attention to the committee's opinion that while the depositors had no claim on Government relief under the law of the land, "facts brought out in the McKeown report establish that the depositors have a moral claim in equity for compensation by the country" for their losses. The Premier asked that the Government be given time to canvass the whole situation thoroughly and await the report of the liquidator as to probable assets of the defunct bank before making a final announcement.

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Oddities in the News

Statue's Value Realized After 600 Years—Peer Weighted With Titles Finds Joy in Honest Toil — New York Radio Cheers Arctic

LINCOLN, England—For long regarded as of very little value, the statue of Queen Margaret on the side of the south porch of the cathedral here, has now been acclaimed by an authority on architecture as "possibly the finest and most perfect example of mediaeval portrait sculpture left in Europe."

Search is now being made for the name of the sculptor. After 600 years of exposure only the hands and the lower parts of the draperies are appreciably damaged. A suggestion that the statue should be removed from its present exposed position and placed in a specially prepared niche at the back of the altar screen in the Angel Choir has not been favorably received by the dean and chapter, but it has been enclosed in a wooden case to prevent further damage.

MADRID.—Few railroad passengers in Spain know that when they are making long distance journeys they are occasionally driven by a locomotive engineer who is a scion of one of the most aristocratic families of Spain. This driver is a man of many titles. His name is Jose Maria Mencos Rebolledo de Palafox, and he is entitled to wear the coronets, among other noble ranks, of Duke of Saragosa, Conde de los Arcos, Marques de Lazan y de Canizar, two of which carry with them the rank of Grandee of Spain.

For the past 20 years Jose de Palafox has preferred working as a railroad engineer to the enjoyment of the life of an aristocrat. Almost always he drives the train that carries King Alfonso on his travels through the kingdom, and when the journey is finished superintends the cleaning and oiling of his locomotive as does the ordinary engineer.

LONDON.—The Moravian mission boat, the 223-ton bark Harmony, the smallest boat on a regular run across the Atlantic, has berthed here on the return from her annual voyage to the mission stations in Labrador.

It took the bark 18 days to return from Newfoundland, according to her skipper, Captain Jackson. For the first time for many years, he says, the Esquimau population shows a slight increase. The one wireless set in northern Labrador regularly receives all the New York concerts, but cannot tune in with British stations.

BERLIN.—The radio has been pressed into service to tell the German hausfrau what she may eat and what she must refrain from eating to retain a graceful form. Ten minutes are given every evening on the radio programme to a discussion of practical hints on women's diet. The chief commandment reads, "don't eat too much chocolate and candy."

WITH AXES POLICE DEMOLISH BARS

Seattle Force Raids Eight Establishments and Effect Arrest of Eleven Men

SEATTLE, Feb. 12.—Equipment of eight bars was demolished with axes and eleven men were arrested on charges of violating the National Prohibition Act in raids by Federal prohibition agents under Director Roy C. Lyle yesterday afternoon and last night.

The series of raids, all of which took place in the lower end of the downtown section, was one of the largest staged in recent months by prohibition agents and followed closely upon the seizure of $12,000 worth of moonshine in a barn near Auburn by divisional agents under F. A. Hazeltin yesterday afternoon.

More than 500 gallons of cider and several quarts of moonshine were seized.

Rubber Factories Look For Year's Good Trade

MONTREAL, Feb. 12.—At the annual meeting of the Rubber Association of Canada held here today, which was attended by executives of the rubber trade from all over Canada, F. E. Partridge, president of the F. E. Partridge Rubber Co., Ltd., Guelph, Ont., was elected president. R. W. Ashcroft, prominent in rubber manufacturing circles, interviewed after the meeting, stated that all of the Canadian rubber manufacturers were looking forward to a satisfactory year's business. "Tire prices," he said, "will undoubtedly be advanced in the Spring. They are fully 20 per cent lower than their manufacturing costs warrant. Mileage considered, tires today cost the motorist about one-third of what they did ten years ago."

Quebec Printers' Demands

QUEBEC, Feb. 12. — Unless an agreement is reached today or tomorrow, says L'Action Catholique, local French paper, the local members of the International Typographical Union will strike on Saturday. All printing plants in the city will be affected. The printers have presented their new scale of salaries and the working hours, which have been refused by the employers.

CHEAP ELECTRICITY TO AID BUSINESS

BRITISH GOVERNMENT CONSIDERS HUGE SCHEME

Fifty Million Pounds Would Be Used to Provide Power at Lowest Possible Rates

LONDON, Feb. 12.—A plan to stimulate British industry by the production of much cheaper electricity is being prepared by the Government, says The Daily Mail, which adds that the authorities are considering an issue of bonds, guaranteed by the Government, to an ultimate value of £50,000,000.

The newspaper asserts that the scheme apparently replaces the one contemplated by the late Labor Government, based on the principle of nationalisation of the means of production. It aims to bring electricity within the reach of every industry and every private individual in the country at a cost of from one penny to three and one-half pence per unit, as compared with the present average cost of five pence where it is obtainable, which is by no means everywhere.

There are now more than five hundred power stations supplying certain areas, and experts figure that the entire country can be cared for at a fraction of the present cost by only 100 stations.

SCHOOL TEACHER SHOT BY INDIAN

INSANE NATIVE KILLS ONE AND INJURES ANOTHER

Assistant Principal of Kenora Institution Dead and Hired Man Seriously Hurt

KENORA, Feb. 12.—Brother A. Polinaire d'Amour, assistant principal of the Indian Boarding School here, was shot dead, and Joe Bernicott, a hired man, was severely wounded by Francois Salou, employee of the institution, early this morning. After his murderous assault, Salou ended his own life with the same weapon.

Authorities investigating the crime are unable to assign a reason, as there had been no quarrel. It is believed that the murderer had gone temporarily insane. Bernicott, who was wounded in the jaw, is expected to recover.

Bernicott's Statement

Bernicott and Salou, according to the former's account, were engaged with their morning duties in the stable and after milking the cows, Salou left with two pails in the direction of the school. Bernicott thought he was long in returning, but on turning around he encountered Salou pointing a gun in his direction. The next moment Bernicott was struck on the side of the face with the full charge of the shotgun. The wounded man rushed toward the school followed by his assailant. Just before reaching the building Salou stopped to reload the weapon and when Brother d'Amour interceded, the latter was silenced with a shot through the left eye. He died instantly.

The murderer fled from the scene but was later discovered by the police in a small brush close to the farm. He had shot himself through the heart.

CENSURES UNIONIST POPULARITY CRAZE

Secretary of British Railwaymen Blames Members for Following Trouble Promoters

LONDON, Feb. 12.—The craze for popularity in trades unionism is unequivocally condemned by Charles Cramp, secretary of the Railwaymen's Union. He says that the craze pervades the noisy, unthinking trades union world.

"I am firmly convinced that a small section of the men of this country," he says, "owe their livelihood purely to promoting dissatisfaction. These men have agreed that work is the most unsatisfactory method of obtaining one's living. Their efforts on the continent have been largely successful and trades unionism has been correspondingly weakened. They seldom vent their spleen upon employers, but sow suspicion and distrust among the workers concerning their union workers. I hope that it will be generally recognized that it is far more important to do the right thing than the popular thing."

Explosion Injures Six

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—Six employees were injured and several others bruised and cut when an explosion in the engraving department of The Chicago Evening American today shook the Hearst Building. Many windows were shattered, and employees were ordered out of the building when flames broke out. The fire was short-lived, and did small damage. No one was killed. A can of chemicals, said to have been ether, exploded.

Old-Timer of North Dead

PRINCE RUPERT, Feb. 12.—Marcus Sigurdson, an old-timer of the North, was drowned today while attempting to cross the Skeena River between Smith Island and Cassiar.

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Murder at Tacoma

TACOMA, Feb. 12.—The third murder in five days occurred here early this morning when Prescott W. Sunday, negro, and a character in the underworld here, was beaten to death in his automobile. A white man, known to the police as "Bill Taylor," is being sought as the slayer and police have arrested Dorothy Allen, a white girl. It is declared by the police that the white man killed the negro in a fit of jealousy over the girl.

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Rump Roasts of Beef, per lb.	19c	Legs of Pork, per lb.	24c
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Poland's Budget Balanced

WARSAW, Feb. 12.—Poland's budget for 1925 entirely balances, Premier Grabski told press correspondents today. It is only seven per cent higher than that for 1924, he said.

EMPIRE ACTIVITIES OF PRINCE PRAISED

VISIT TO SOUTH AFRICA IS DISCUSSED IN HOUSE

Members for Clyde Have Other Work for His Royal Highness, But All Appreciate His Value

LONDON, Feb. 12.—Discussion of the supplementary estimate for the extended tour the Prince of Wales is to make to Africa and South America brought out some caustic comment in the House of Commons this afternoon from David Kirkwood, Labor member for the Dumbarton, who moved a reduction in the vote as a protest against "all this humbug that's going on." He said before the Prince set out "to see and cement the Empire," he should see his own country.

Mr. Kirkwoodd's motion for reduction of the vote for the Prince's tour of the £15,000 was defeated by 304 to 90.

Mr. Kirkwood's Complaint

Mr. Kirkwood made a rather rambling complaint that on the occasion of one of the Prince's visits to Glasgow he declined an invitation that Mr. Kirkwood, as councillor, sent him to come and dine with others in a Glasgow restaurant where they "could talk to him about those parts of the city they were desirous he should see." (This was an allusion to the notorious Clyde slums scandal.)

Mr. Kirkwood continued that he still extended that invitation to the Prince to come and see places and conditions such as he would not see either among the aborigines of Africa or Australia, nor in Argentina, but among the working folk of West Scotland.

A point of order was raised from the Conservative benches, asking what this had to do with the Prince's tour.

John Wheatley Intervenes

John Wheatley, Labor member for Glasgow, intervened in support of his Scottish colleague, who said he was entitled to show there were better ways of spending the public money and educating the Prince of Wales than sending him to Argentina.

The chairman, remarking he understood Mr. Kirkwood's argument to be that he thought the vote should not be given until the Prince was invited to parts of his own country, said the member was entitled to express his views, but not in such detail.

Mr. Kirkwood said he had given the Prince, for whom he was rather sorry, an invitation to visit the locality he had mentioned, and continued: "Here you are trotting him all over the world, making a clown of him and putting him on show."

Bursts of Laughter

This caused bursts of laughter and cries of "Shame." The chairman intervened, exhorting the member to keep nearer to his subject.

Mr. Kirkwood then dilated upon what he characterized as extravagance. He said the £15,000 mentioned in the vote was a mere bagatelle since the real cost of the tour would be defrayed from the navy funds, as the Prince was going to board a battleship. The actual expense would be nearer one million pounds, he declared.

"Why all this money?" he asked. "Is the Prince a poor man? Isn't his salary adequate to enable him to perform his functions in the Empire?"

Member Defies Chair

He had much more to say to the same effect, which drew another reproof from the chair. The member continued to defy the chair, declaring the Prince was being used by the great financiers and others in subservience to their purpose to weld the Empire together to be a menace to all other empires.

His speech ended after numerous rebukes from the chairman, and amidst angry scenes, the Speaker gesticulating against the members on the Conservative benches who were baiting him and who maintained continuous cries of "Order."

D. Buchanan, another Clyde member, supported Mr. Kirkwood with similar arguments, and the House called him down with the rising of Mr. Guiness, who proceeded to defend the proposal.

Prince's Empire Activities

Mr. Guiness admitted the importance of the Prince keeping in touch with such districts as Mr. Kirkwood had mentioned, but pointed out that the Prince's Empire activities had not prevented his doing the work which the Dumbarton member was so anxious to see him perform, and neither Mr. Kirkwood nor Mr. Buchanan had uttered a single word suggesting that the Prince had in any way stinted his time and energy in such activities.

The Speaker said he thought it was a great tribute that nothing but words of encouragement had been heard concerning the way in which the Prince had thrown himself into his duty. He proceeded to explain the origin of the Argentine invitation and how its acceptance had made it necessary to extend the Prince's tour and to employ a cruiser instead of a liner.

Mr. Guiness expatiated on the importance of the British interests in Argentina and the strong desire "of our Argentine friends to have the Prince among them on the occasion of the celebration of the centenary of the Anglo-Argentine Treaty of Commerce.

During the debate in the House of Commons today on the expenses of the Prince of Wales' tour, Walter E. Guiness, financial secretary to the Treasury, announced that a further invitation had been received for the Prince to visit Uruguay and Chile, in addition to Argentina, and he thought it very probable arrangements might be made to conform to this wider programme.

NEW OFFICERS NAMED BY SAANICH TORIES

At the annual meeting of the Saanich Liberal-Conservative Association, in the Campbell Building, Wednesday night, officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: Honorary president, Hon. T. G. Coventry, M.P.P.; president, Mr. W. O. Wallace; first vice-president, Mr. W. Stubbs; second vice-president, Mr. A. R. Sherwood; third vice-president, Major J. P. Tibben; secretary, Mr. J. H. Tait; treasurer, Mr. J. Richardson. The gathering was well attended and was enlivened by keen discussion of political questions of the day.

Quick Starting
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Accused Postoffice Official Not Guilty

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., Feb. 12.—Alex Rooney, formerly in charge of the general postoffice money order department and suspended eight months ago, for alleged irregularities, was last night found not guilty of any of the charges laid against him at his trial in the Supreme Court which began yesterday morning. He was charged with stealing $12,369 and with embezzling the same sum, in addition to several smaller amounts. The finding of the jury was that the accused was guilty of great negligence and was not fitted for the responsibility entrusted to him, but that he was not guilty of any of the charges laid against him.

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Women's Fine Quality Nightgowns, in mull and cotton; slip-over style; in pink and white, trimmed with lace. Dollar Day, each............$1.00

Women's Princess Slips of cotton pongee, in white, sky, mauve, navy, sand and pink; sizes 36 to 44. Dollar Day............$1.49

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Women's Black Kid Gloves, in sizes 5½ and 5¾ only. Regular up to $1.95 per pair. Dollar Day, per pair............25¢

Kayser Regulation Silk Gloves, odd lines and broken sizes; in shades of tan and champagne only. Regular $1.00 and $1.25. Dollar Day to clear at............69¢

Wool Gauntlets and Fabric Gloves 2 Pairs for $1.00

Dent's Velbian Suede Regulation Gloves, prix seam; in shades of beaver, brown and grey. Reduced to clear Dollar Day at, per pair............$1.49

Clearing Odd Lines and Broken Sizes of Fine Trefousse Kid and Velbian Suede Gloves. Regular up to $1.95 per pair. Dollar Day............$1.00

Morley's Regulation Duplex Fabric Gloves, in all the popular shades and wanted sizes. Special for Dollar Day at, per pair....$1.00

Children's Fine Quality Woollen and Fabric Gloves, small sizes only. Greatly reduced to clear Dollar Day at, pair, 19¢

Women's Fleece-Lined Mocha Gloves, in tan and grey; regulation style. Reduced to clear Dollar Day at, per pair............$1.95

Children's Fine Quality Chamoisette and Long White Silk Gloves. Greatly reduced to clear Dollar Day at, per pair............95¢

Dollar Day Bargains in the Knit Underwear Section

Women's Winter Weight Fleece Cotton Vests, in all the wanted styles and sizes. Regular up to $1.50. To clear Dollar Day at....$1.00

Women's Winter Weight Drawers, in ankle and knee length styles. Splendid quality and greatly reduced to clear Dollar Day at, per pair............89¢

Women's Fine Quality Silk and Wool and Wool Combinations, in all styles and sizes. Formerly priced regular up to $6.75. Dollar Day at, per suit............$3.79

Children's Winter Weight Ankle Length Drawers, in all sizes. Formerly priced regular up to $1.75 per pair. Greatly reduced to clear Dollar Day at, two pairs for............$1.00

Children's Winter Weight Vests, in the wanted styles and sizes. Regular up to $1.75. Dollar Day............89¢

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Dollar Day in Children's Dept.

One Only, Girl's Heptonette Raincoat, for age 12 years. Regular $12.50. Dollar Day at............$4.90

Four Only, Girls' Coats, sizes 10 and 12 years. Regular to $19.50. Dollar Day at............$6.90

One Only, Girl's Coat, size 12 years. Regular $22.50 for............$9.75

Girls' Heptonette Raincoats, sizes 12, 14 and 16 years. Regular $11.50. Dollar Day at............$5.90

Three Only, Girls' Homespun and Flannel Dresses, sizes 8 and 10 years. Regular $7.25. Dollar Day............$2.95

Three Only, Girls' Velvette Dresses, sizes 10 and 12 years. Regular $27.50 for $3.95

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Friday, February 13, 1925

CONFUSION IN EUROPE

Great Britain appears to occupy a peculiar and a highly responsible position in Europe. The Powers of that continent seem to regard her in the light of a guardian. The greater part of them owe her immense sums of money, and none of them seems to be in any great haste to repay or even to reduce the debt. The Imperial Government has offered to reduce the obligations of France by two-thirds, but that, apparently, is not going to induce France to pay up. Just as soon as one difficulty is overcome, another complication turns up. The very latest complication, we are told, threatens the unity of the British Empire.

France asks that her frontiers shall be safeguarded, and she thinks Britain should do the police work. Should the British police forces ever be carried into action, they would be carried into action without the consent of the Dominions. Great Britain would be at war, but the Dominions would be at peace with all the world. No doubt statesmen know all about such possible complications, but the purport of them is hidden from the eyes of most of us who are not statesmen. We confess to knowing little about them, except that the more conferences held, and the more discussions at such conferences, the greater the confusion.

If the perplexed Powers of Europe would follow the example of Britain and begin to pay back at least part of their obligations just as an evidence of good faith, perhaps the clouds of doubt and distrust would begin to roll away. According to all accounts, there is no unemployment in France. There is a great deal of unemployment in Great Britain. There is considerable unemployment in the United States. There is more unemployment in Canada than is desirable. Therefore business in France must be better than business in any other part of the world, with the possible exception of Germany. Probably that is the reason why the United States is not inclined to abate one jot of her claims upon France, which appears to be at the root of most of the unsettlement in Europe. In the meantime the burden Great Britain is expected to carry, which necessitates excessively high taxation, is seriously affecting business there.

PREPARING FOR ELECTION

The debate on the Address in reply to the Speech from the Throne is in full flower at Ottawa. The two leaders have spoken, and their followers are speaking. Mr. Meighen and Mr. King have addressed themselves to the country at large; the lesser lights are addressing themselves to their constituencies. The leaders speak for the party; the followers speak for themselves. The object of the leaders is to secure support for the party, for it is from the elected followers of the party that governments are formed and supported. The object of the followers is to secure their own election; they are only indirectly concerned about the fate of parties or of governments.

These are the things that detract from public interest in the debates on the Address and prolong those debates unduly. The majority of the debaters speak simply for the purpose of getting their speeches published in Hansard. Then they either distribute Hansard amongst their constituents or have their speeches copied in the local newspapers, reaching their constituents in that way. The Address is going to be exhaustively debated this session because it may be the last session of this House. The politicians are preparing for a general election. Spring will be well advanced before the real business of Parliament begins, and Autumn will be at hand before the business is finished. Indeed, the probabilities are that business will be only partly finished when the House is prorogued.

RUM-RUNNING ROMANCES

The rum-runner has established himself in Britain, or rather the rum-runner has re-established himself in Britain—for rum-running is no new trade, and it did not originate in America with the adoption of prohibition. Frenchmen and Germans are running liquor into England. But in the old days runners of contraband which included many kinds of wet and dry goods, were not called rum-runners. They were called smugglers, and they did a very considerable business between Holland, Belgium, France and Great Britain. They found their business profitable because Britain levied very high duties upon imported liquors, silks, laces and other luxuries.

There were many conflicts between the King's revenue cutters and the luggers of the smugglers. Sir Walter Scott in one of his stories describes in a characteristic way the desperado who commanded one of those smuggling luggers, and the cave on the Solway which he made his headquarters. That cave exists to this day, of course, and is visited annually by many tourists. Some day a romance of rum-smuggling from British Columbia may be written, and the islands which were the bases of the smugglers may also become objects of interest and curiosity. There is nothing new under the sun.

SIGNS OF SPRING

Signs of Spring are said to have made their appearance in the East. The ducks and the geese are said to be travelling north again. We do not look for such signs in this part of the world. When the glad chorus of the skylarks is heard in the heavens we are assured that Spring is just round the corner. Songs of solitary larks have been heard all through the Winter. Our larks are different from their parents in the Mother Land. They do not migrate. Possibly they find the conditions here just as desirable during the Winter as could be expected by any resourceful bird. Possibly if they were to migrate they would not know where to migrate to or are not quite sure they could find their way back. The subject is an interesting one, and might be worthy of the consideration of our Natural History Society. What a pity it is that the other songbirds which were brought out along with the skylarks did not survive after they were liberated. Were the conditions here not to their liking, and did they die of homesickness, or did they encounter natural enemies of whose guile heredity did not warn them to beware?

FOR A UNITED CANADA

Representatives of the British people of Ontario and representatives of the French people of Quebec have held a meeting, exchanged cordial greetings and inquired, "Why should there be strife between thee and me?" We do not know whether the French-Canadian brother kissed his British kinsman upon either cheek after the conventional manner of the Gaul, but we understand that a treaty of perpetual peace and amity has been signed; old racial feuds have been buried and old religious animosities have been killed. No longer will the electors of Quebec vote in mass against a man because his religious views differ from their religious views; never again will the solid political forces of Ontario be arrayed against a leader because he could not control forces that are uncontrollable, the forces of destiny, which alone determine a man's parentage.

But we learn more than the foregoing from news dispatches. We learn on the highest technical and scientific authority that the French-Canadians of Quebec, by reason of their fecundity, are no real menace to the future of the British-Canadians of Ontario. We have no difficulty whatever in accepting the statement of that high scientific authority.

We cannot understand why one branch of the race of Canadians should be a menace to any other branch of the race of Canadians. We believe that Canadians of all parts of Canada were placed here to dwell together in unity, and we are glad to note that such is the tendency of the times. The ancient prejudices and animosities of other lands should not be permitted to establish themselves in this new country. There was a time when such antagonistic forces did exist, but they are passing away. Education and intercourse are broadening the minds of our people. Prejudices have given place to rivalries—rivalries in production from the field, the factory, the forest, the sea and the mine. Such legitimate rivalries build up and enrich the country. And what a vast field has been prepared for energetic cultivation.

A London newspaper, and a very responsible London newspaper at that, says it is possible, after certain complications are cleared up, that His Holiness the Pope may make a tour of the world. We do not believe that, even if it is printed by a responsible London newspaper. Such a thing is contrary to the traditions or the established practices of the Vatican. At the same time, if the head of the Catholic Church were to tour the world he would receive a wonderful reception in Canada and the United States—for, of course, nowadays no tour would be a world tour if it did not include Canada and the United States.

An Italian newspaper gives the national view of the much-discussed war debts. It says there are no such things as war debts. It further says that Italy won the war, for if Italy had remained neutral Germany would have conquered France, Great Britain and the United States in turn, and would have been collecting indemnities today instead of paying them. That is an interesting view of the situation. That much at least can be said of it. Italy is not the only Power that claims to have won the war. But Great Britain is the only Power that is bearing the burden of it.

Premier Ferguson of Ontario says he would like the salary attached to the position of chairman of the Provincial Hydro-Electric Commission, but he would not like the job. Most of us are just human, like the Ontario Premier. We like to draw our salaries, but we are not particularly in love with our jobs. We are envious of the other fellow, and think we would like his job.

France has standardized the price of wheat. Russia is buying both wheat and flour in Canada. One of these days Canadian will be feeding a large proportion of the hungry people of Europe—at a reasonably profitable figure, we hope.

Canada's Story Day by Day

By BLODWEN DAVIES

FEBRUARY 13

Romance and tragedy surround the name of Claude de la Tour and his son, Charles, who settled in Acadia about the time that Quebec was founded. Charles de la Tour and Charnisay, another French seigneur, divided the control of the great area of Acadia, but Charnisay was devoured with jealousy of his powerful and popular opponent. He undermined la Tour's influence with the French King, and on this day in 1641 Charnisay secured that for which he had been working, a warrant for the arrest of la Tour, and orders to bring him a prisoner to Paris, should he resist the order. As he expected, the proud la Tour ignored an order so obviously based upon trumped-up charges, and Charnisay began that warfare which ended in his triumph and his shame, and which won him one of the blackest records in Canadian history. His treachery is always contrasted with the amazing bravery of Madame de la Tour, who defended Fort la Tour with the genius of a soldier.

Today, February 13 Is the Anniversary of:

Birth of Alexander Wedderburn, celebrated lawyer, Lord Chancellor in the Pitt ministry; East Lothian, 1733.

Birth of Charles Maurice de Talleyrand-Perigord, the famous French statesman and diplomatist; Paris, 1754.

Birth of Sir Henry Bulwer, Baron Dalling and Bulwer, distinguished diplomatist, statesman and man of letters, joint author of the Bulwer-Clayton treaty between Britain and the United States; London, 1801.

Birth of Lord Randolph Churchill; Blenheim, 1849.

Death of Catherine Howard, fifth queen of Henry VIII, beheaded at his instigation; The Tower, 1543.

Death of Benvenuto Cellini, the celebrated Florentine sculptor; Florence, 1569.

Death of Cotton Mather, the celebrated New England divine; Boston, 1728.

Assassination of the Duke de Berri, son of Charles X of France; Paris, 1820.

Death of Sharon Turner, the historian of the Anglo-Saxons; London, 1847.

Death of Richard Wagner, the great musical composer; Venice, 1883.

Wreck of the Beaver, pioneer steamer of the North Pacific, on the rocks at the First Narrows of Burrard Inlet; 1888.

3-Minute Journeys

By TEMPLE MANNING

Where Ancient and Modern Civilizations Converge

It is in Lima, Pizarro's City of the Kings, that one finds all that remains of the old Inca civilization. Here one can still see mute testimony to the fact that many hundreds of years ago a whole civilization that no longer exists, thrived and flourished.

Their adobe huts are merely faint mounds on the scene; they are crumbling into dust rapidly. They are all that remains of the culture that was so ruthlessly destroyed by Pizarro in his search for gold. The stones that were transported and cut with most minute care to build the palaces and temples of the Incas are now being broken up to pave motor highways.

In its place is a modern city that contains a number of beautiful churches and one of the oldest universities in the Western Hemisphere. It is a city of Spanish mansions with balconies and grill work and elaborate statuary.

And all through this town, the ancient touches the modern. The cobble stones that have been worn smooth by hundreds of years of the tramping and walking of barefooted Indians and the little slippers of ladies and the great boots of grand senors, must now accustom themselves to the sound and the feel of street cars and motors.

Proud ladies in mantillas and great tortoise shell combs still lean over the balconies of their houses to hear the serenade of their wooers, as in days of old. In the bell tower of the Dominican Church, you will still find a guide who is willing and anxious to show you the body of Pizarro, as a child and in another church, by some miracle they will show you where the bones of the same gentleman as a man were buried.

Such a mixture of old superstitions and new inventions will you find in the town of Lima, in Peru. And as a background, scarcely ever noticed at all, lie the remains of the old Inca civilization.

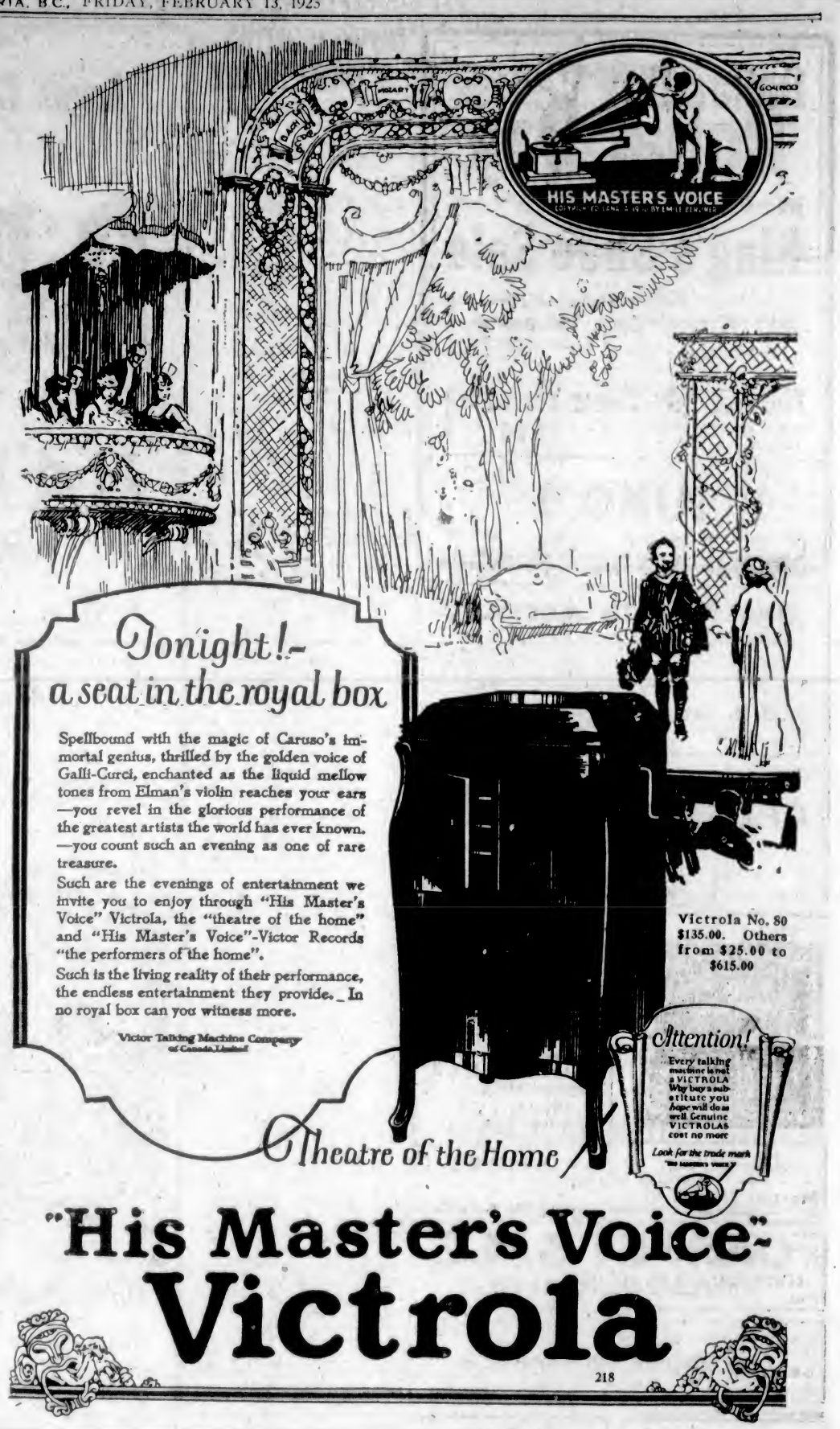
Great Thoughts

It is an indiscreet and troublesome ambition that cares so much about fame; about what the world says of it; to be always looking in the face of others for approval; to be always anxious about the effect of what we do or say; to be always shouting to hear the echoes of our own voices.—Longfellow.

I do not know what I may appear to the world, but to myself I seem to have been only like a boy playing on the sea-shore, and diverting myself in now and then finding a smoother pebble or a prettier shell than ordinary, whilst the great ocean of truth lay all undiscovered before me.—Isaac Newton.

Six Nation Indians Claim 18,000,000 Acres Canada and U.S. Land

QUEBEC, Feb. 12.—With legal advisers present, representatives of the Six Nations Indian tribes discussed at a meeting at Lorette, Que., the home of the Huron tribe, their claim to 18,000,000 acres of land in the state of New York, some of it in the cities of New York and Buffalo, valued, it is said, at several millions of dollars. The Indians claim that the land was given to them in 1784, and later taken back from them without good reason. It is estimated that if they could make good their claim that the land was given to them, each member of the tribes of the Six Nations would get between $30,000 and $40,000. The proposal now is to enter action to get the property.



Letters to the Editor

No letter to the editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception.

The Ellington Case

Sir,—I have had many inquiries from friends who have contributed to the above fund as to how the family is getting along. As one who was instrumental in having a subscription list opened to assist this family I wish to report that immediately after the subscription lists were closed I asked Mr. Beatty, president of the Rotary Club, to appoint two members to act with me jointly in handling this fund. Mr. Beatty kindly appointed Mr. C. Drummond-Hay, 141 Gorge Road, and Mr. A. H. Maynard, photographer, 734 Yates Street. We collected from the Empire Realty, Colonist, Times and E. A. Morris the amount of $561.31, which was deposited in the Douglas Street branch of the Bank of Montreal as the Ellington Fund, the trustees being F. Landsberg, C. Drummond-Hay and A. H. Maynard. These three signatures were put in jointly so that no money could be drawn out without the signatures of all three. Since that date Dr. Ridewood and Dr. Robertson have been treating Mrs. Ellington continually, and I am pleased to report that she is showing wonderful improvement. Mr. Ellington has been working on and off, through my efforts in getting him employment here and there up till the fourth day of February, when his arm, which was wounded during the war by a bullet through the shoulder, refused to function. I advised Mr. Ellington to go and see Dr. Wace, of the B.C.R., and after a thorough examination by Dr. Wace he was ordered for treatment to the Jubilee Hospital for a month or more.

The total amount spent by the committee up to date, for fuel, provisions, etc., is $141.30, leaving a bank balance to the credit of the above fund of $420.01. Had the committee been called upon to pay doctor bills and auto bills for the transportation of Mrs. Ellington to the city for treatment, the funds would have long ago been exhausted. The committee greatly appreciate the free medical attention given to Mrs. Ellington by Dr. Ridewood and Dr. Robertson, and also to Mr. William H. Davies, who has been bringing Mrs. Ellington into the doctor's office whenever required.

F. LANDSBERG.

641 Fort Street, Victoria, B.C., Feb. 12, 1925.

Bars and Parlors

Sir,—I read in the local papers a statement as to the regulations to be enforced in British Columbia in respect of beer halls. It was announced that there would be no bars with brass footrails and breastworks. That customers would be served at tables by uniformed waiters, British citizens, presumably of the full age of 21. Living in Ottawa, I naturally know something about beer halls in Hull, and from my point of view it is rather amusing to try and differentiate between the evils of drinking standing up in front of a bar and the same sitting down comfortably at a table. In my humble estimation, the evils of the bar are accentuated by the beer hall, inasmuch as sitting at a table involves no inconvenience and there is the temptation to drink not only one bottle, but several, and often very many. A man may stand up at a bar half a day, but he is not nearly so likely to do so as to sit at a table for the same length of time. In Norway and Sweden, in so far as the system there is concerned, no chairs or tables are permitted in a barroom. The object is to prevent the bar becoming a loafing place, which the beer hall in practice really is. The prejudice against the "open bar," on account of abuses which were permitted, has really led to a much worse state of affairs so far as Quebec is concerned. There is nothing inviting or commendable in beer halls as compared with the old bars, and I don't think we should try to delude ourselves by the mere manner of drinking.

R. E. GOSNELL.

Ottawa, February, 4, 1925.

Duke of Connaught Now Social Leader in The French Riviera

LONDON, Feb. 12.—News comes from the French Riviera today that the Duke of Connaught has succeeded to the place once held by his brother, the late King Edward, as society leader in the British colony along the coast, which it is estimated this Winter aggregates approximately a population of 150,000. The weather has been exceptionally good and there has been a whirl of events unequalled in any previous year, even before the war. Every new organization seeks the co-operation and leadership of the Duke.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of February 13, 1875.)

The steamer Enterprise, with the Cariboo mail, Barnard's express, and the following passengers, arrived from Bute Inlet yesterday at noon: Miss Insley, Captain Insley, Rev. Turner, F. J. Barnard, C. Smith, and Messrs. Bowman, Stuart, Robb, Ward, Innes, Debeck, Woollacott and Wiggins.

Attempted Burglary—Early on Wednesday morning Mr William Steinberger, who resides at the head of Yates Street, was awakened by hearing a slight noise in the house, and by a strong smell of sulphur which seemed to pervade the apartment. He arose, made a cursory examination of the premises, but seeing nothing to excite his suspicions retired again to bed. In the morning when he arose he was amazed to find numerous traces of burglars who had been busy during the night. The rogues appear to have cut their way through a window sash, removing some of the panes, and entered a room. From the tracks outside the window they seem to have been three in number. Numerous lucifer matches were found on the floor of one of the rooms, which accounts for the smell of sulphur.

HOLDS CIVIL TRIAL TODAY WITH JURY

Coates vs. Mayo Singh et al Comes Up in Supreme Court This Morning

In the Supreme Court today the trial of Coates vs. Mayo Singh et al will be held before Mr. Justice W. A. McDonald and a jury. The action is a civil one, arising out of damage done by fire in timber lands last Summer.

Mr. C. F. Davie, of Duncan, appears for the plaintiff and Mr. J. B. deB. Farris, K.C., for the defendants in the action.

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THURSDAY, Feb. 19—REV. W. J. SIPPRELL, of the Metropolitan Methodist Church.
FRIDAY, February 20—REV. D. WALKER, of the Erskine Road Presbyterian Church.
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Trustee Litchfield Resigns From Board

Carries Out Threat Uttered When School Board Cuts Estimates of His Committee by Five Per Cent—Board Defers Acceptance of Resignation in Effort to Have Him Reconsider—"Hasty Action" Says Chairman George Jay

AFTER raising a storm of protest against his colleagues' decision to lop off five per cent from the estimates of the buildings and grounds committee, of which he is chairman, Trustee H. O. Litchfield sent in his resignation to the Board of School Trustees yesterday afternoon.

Asking the board to pass items for the 1925 estimates amounting to a total about $14,000, Trustee Litchfield was confronted with a motion by Trustee Moresby, also a member of the buildings and grounds committee, to reduce this sum by five per cent.

Trustee Moresby explained that his proposal to reduce the total figure was inspired by a desire to effect economy. He pointed out that the burden of the taxpayer is heavy and contended that the saving of approximately $700 could be made without jeopardizing efficiency.

Approving Trustee Moresby's stand, Trustee Brown, a consistent proponent of economy, seconded the motion.

A heated debate then developed. Trustee Litchfield defended the estimates submitted by the committee under his chairmanship. They had been prepared, he said, with due regard to the necessity for economy. Much time and careful thought had been expended on their preparation and it would be unwise to reduce any particular item. To reduce the aggregate figure would be to endanger the efficiency of the whole programme as formulated by the committee. He could not view the proposal with equanimity. If it carried, he would resign, he intimated.

The debate waxed hotter. When the motion was put to a vote, Trustee Maunsell aligned himself with Trustees Moresby and Brown in voting affirmatively against the "noes" of Trustees Litchfield, Beckwith and Peden. Chairman George Jay broke the deadlock with a vote for the motion.

Mr. Litchfield's Letter

Trustee Litchfield's letter of resignation as received by the board at yesterday afternoon's meeting read as follows:

"Herewith I place in your hands my resignation as chairman of the buildings and grounds committee and also as a member of the Victoria School Board, to take effect at once.

"I trust my action will enable the citizens of Victoria to give you a colleague more capable and more faithful than myself in the cause of our schools and education and economy, and also a member of the board with whom you will be better able to co-operate."

Reading of the letter by Secretary Pope was greeted with silence for a space. Trustee Beckwith was the first to speak.

"I suppose it is quite in order to accept one resignation?" he asked of the chairman.

"It appears that Trustee Litchfield has taken rather hasty action," Trustee Jay remarked, going on to explain that if the City Council did not make arrangements for the election of a successor within thirty days the board would then be empowered to appoint the new member.

"I would suggest that Trustee Litchfield be asked to reconsider his resignation," declared Trustee Beckwith.

Trustee Brown remarked that he was very sorry that Trustee Litchfield had seen fit to take the action of the board so personally. He had worked side by side with Trustee Litchfield for three years and he recognized that the latter had done a great deal of hard work and had given close attention to the interests of the board. If such action would be productive of any good he was prepared to move that the resignation be tabled while members of the board interviewed Trustee Litchfield in an effort to induce him to reconsider his decision.

Ask Reconsideration

On his remarks being greeted with murmurs of assent, Trustee Brown moved that the letter be tabled and that Chairman Jay and Trustee Beckwith be requested to ask Trustee Litchfield to reconsider his action.

Trustee Peden spoke in appreciation of Trustee Litchfield's services. Mr. Litchfield had been a valuable member of the board. He had always worked hard and sincerely, giving of his best. The trouble really was that Trustee Litchfield was oversincere. He had been unable to accept with equanimity the rebuffs that his work as school trustee entailed. He would greatly regret to lose Trustee Litchfield, because the latter's services had been of marked value to the board, but he was of the opinion that the only thing to do was to accept the resignation.

"I am going to support the motion to table the letter," declared Trustee Moresby, "and I should like to endorse the remarks of Trustees Brown and Peden as regards the value of Trustee Litchfield's services. He has been a very earnest member—certainly since I have been on the board. But aside from all that, I am not in sympathy with any member who, simply because he can't have his own way, with the decision of the whole board against him, sees fit to resign. And that is the only reason why he did resign. If we are going to carry on in that way we might all have reason to resign at some time or other."

MR. H. O. LITCHFIELD

Trustee Beckwith remarked that there were some reasons why it would be unfortunate to lose Mr. Litchfield from the board. One, in particular, was that the annual convention of the B. C. School Trustees' Association would be held here this Summer, and, in the ordinary course of events, Trustee Litchfield would represent the board at the gathering. He was a member of the association and had attended the Kamloops convention last year. It would be a misfortune if Trustee Litchfield should not represent the board at the convention. The association was a valuable one, doing good work. For this reason he felt disposed to have a talk with Trustee Litchfield to see if the latter would not reconsider his action.

The motion was then carried.

VICTORIAN KILLED IN AIR ACCIDENT

MR. S. D. FETHERSTON DIES IN TEXAS FLYING MISHAP

Was Well-Known Athlete and War Veteran—Left City Month Ago to Engage in Aeronautics

One month after leaving Victoria to interest himself in aeronautics in Texas with a view to establishing eventually an air service between Victoria and Port Angeles, Mr. Stanley Douglas Fetherston, war veteran and well-known Victorian, met death near El Paso, Texas, Wednesday, in a flying accident.

The fatality occurred when a machine in which Mr. Fetherston and a seventeen-year-old pilot, Frank Phillips, were flying from Houston, Texas, to Douglas, Arizona, crashed to the earth. Mr. Fetherston was killed and the pilot was injured. The plane had been bought by Mr. Fetherston at Wichita Falls and was being flown by stages to Victoria. It had just taken off from the Fort Bliss aviation field when the crash happened.

Mr. Fetherston became interested in flying some time ago through association with American interests contemplating a commercial aerial service between Victoria and Port Angeles. Thinking highly of this venture, he virtually became a partner in the enterprise, resigned from the B.C. Forestry Department, in which he had been employed for five years, and went down to Texas to become a flyer.

Twenty-seven years of age, he was born at Bearsden, Scotland, came to Canada as a boy and to Victoria nineteen years ago. He attended University School here, making a reputation as an athlete in ice hockey and rugby while at that institution. He was the holder of numerous athletic trophies.

When sixteen years of age he enlisted in the 5th Regiment, C.G.A., served four years overseas during the war and returned at its end gassed and wounded.

He is survived by a widow and a five-year-old son at 32 Bushby Street; and by a mother, one brother, Harold; and four sisters, the Misses Edith, Dorothy and Phyllis Fetherston, and Mrs. C. F. Campbell, also of Victoria. His father is Mr. S. G. Fetherston, editor of The Motorist, of Hamilton, N.Z.

Grain Futures in Genoa

GENOA, Italy, Feb. 12.—A banking house for dealing in grain futures was inaugurated here yesterday. This step is calculated to equip Italy with a system of commercial transactions capable of extensive development.

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Dance at Press Ball Tonight

Madame Valda, Miss Violet Fowkes and Miss Marion Coote will give a specialty dance tonight at the Press Club Ball, which promises to be a feature of the St. Valentine function. Madame Valda is in the center of the picture. On the left is Miss Violet Fowkes, while Miss Marion Coote is on the right.

ADDRESS ADOPTED BUT TALK GOES ON

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Lawrence-St. George, and W. F. MacLean, Conservative, South York. Mr. Marler made a detailed study of Canada's financial position, of national income and expenditure, remarking that until the railway position substantially improved there was little probability of substantial reduction in taxation.

Railway Deficit Taxation

Mr. Marler thought the deficit, resulting from a reduction in railway freight rates, might well be borne by the country as a whole and should not be assessed in a manner that would injure existing railways. On the tariff, Mr. Marler urged a scientific revision, conducted by a properly constituted tariff board.

Mr. MacLean had sharp criticism for the judicial committee of the Privy Council.

"I am here," declared Mr. MacLean, referring to the Lemieux Act decision, "to protest against a condition which allows the judicial committee to shoot holes in our constitution. Under present conditions, the Dominion of Canada has no more to do with its own constitution than the man in the street."

In view of the probable resumption of the debate on the address tomorrow, the bringing down of the estimates has been indefinitely postponed and, as the Conservatives are known to have several speakers planning to take part in the debate, it now appears that it will be well into next week before the way is cleared for the House to get into committee of supply.

Duc de Nemours Visits Alberta Rancher Friends

PARIS, Feb. 12.—The Duc de Nemours, a descendant of Louis Philippe of France, will sail in April to visit Lord and Lady Rodney, who have a ranch at Fort Saskatchewan, Alberta. It is stated that the Duke expects to acquire a ranch near that of the Prince of Wales in Alberta.

Ruthenian Lights Own Funeral Pyre

TEULON, Man., Feb. 12.—John Negrych, a Ruthenian farmer of this district, is dead as the result of self-inflicted burns. Wednesday morning he gathered a pile of straw in his farmyard, soaked it with gasoline, set fire to it and jumped into the burning mass. A neighbor passing saw the smoke, and on going to investigate found Negrych crawling out of the ashes, terribly burned. He died in hospital here.

Tubercular Free Area

VANCOUVER, Feb. 12.—Definite arrangements for the establishment of a "tubercular free" area in British Columbia, probably in the Fraser Valley, was announced by President H. S. Shannon of the British Columbia Dairymen's Association at tonight's session of the convention.

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OBITUARIES

BOSS—The remains of the late Henry Newton Boss were laid to rest yesterday afternoon in the Royal Oak Burial Park. The funeral took place from the B. C. Funeral Co.'s chapel at 2 o'clock, where service was conducted by the Rev. F. H. Fait at the chapel and grave. The hymns sung were "Nearer, My God, to Thee," and "Abide With Me." There was a very large attendance of friends, including several members of the Civil Service, also a delegation from the Boy Scouts and Cubs, in charge of District Commissioner H. T. Ravenhill. The following acted as pallbearers: G. R. Maden, G. V. Copley, C. B. Peterson, S. W. Barclay, E. C. Manning and R. C. Field

HOBSON—The funeral of the late Mrs Elmina I. Hobson, wife of Mr. Frederick P. Hobson, of 1421 Mitchell Street, who passed away on Tuesday, has been arranged to take place from the chapel of the B. C. Funeral Co. on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, where service will be held by the Rev. Mr. Nunns, rector of St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay. Interment will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

RICHARDS—The funeral of the late Thomas Henry Richards, whose death occurred on February 4, will take place Saturday afternoon, February 14, at 2 o'clock from the Thomson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street. Interment will be in Ross Bay Cemetery.

BRINKMAN—There passed away last evening at St. Joseph's Hospital Leo Andrew Bickford Brinkman, aged 21 years and 7 months, a native son of this city. He leaves to mourn his loss his mother, Mrs. Mary Brinkman, of 1022 North Park Street; four brothers, James, of Everett, Wash.; George, of Florida; William and Joseph Brinkman, at home; also six sisters, Mrs. Gertrude Williams, of Aberdeen, Wash.; Mrs. Dorothy Russell, at Winnipeg, Man.; Miss Maud Brinkman, of Seattle, Wash.; Mrs. Betty Maclaw, of this city; Miss Edna and Miss Juanita Brinkman, at home. The remains are resting at the Thomson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street, pending funeral arrangements, which will be announced at a later date.

C.N.R. Official Weds

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Herman Graham Grierson, an official of the Canadian National Railway in Ottawa, and Miss Irene Usher, a graduate of the Metropolitan Hospital School of Nursing, were married on Welfare Island last night. It was the second wedding on the island for forty years.

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VICTORIA WILL WELCOME SHIP

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Victoria will be in gala attire, and a liberal showing of flags will be made in honor of the Princess Kathleen's arrival. The main event of the reception, however, will take place at the Empress Hotel on Monday evening at 8 o'clock, when a banquet will be given in honor of Captain J. W. Troup, manager of the B. C. Coast Steamship Service, and also in honor of the latest acquisition to the C.P.R. coastwise fleet.

A handsome piece of silverplate will be presented to Captain J. W. Troup in appreciation of the interest he has taken in Victoria's port development and his untiring efforts in making Victoria the headquarters of the C.P.R. coastwise steamers.

Capt. R. W. McMurray, who is commander of the Princess Kathleen, has been in the Canadian Pacific service for fifteen years and ranks as a lieutenant-commander in the Royal Naval Reserve. He saw active service during the war in the Channel Patrol and was in charge of the Hong Kong Patrol.

His position on the Princess Kathleen is only a temporary one and on his arrival here he will return to England to resume his former duties.

There are several Victoria officers on board the new ship. They are: Chief Officer Thompson, Third Officer Williams and Chief Engineer Oliver. All these officers have seen many years of service on this coast, and left for England some months ago especially to bring the Kathleen to this coast.

Chief Reported Dead

MELILLA, Morocco, Feb. 12.—There was a widespread report here today that Abd El-Krim, leader of the rebellious Moors, was dead as the result of wounds. The Spanish authorities are seeking confirmation.

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	2-In-1 Boot Polish, tin ..... 9¢
B.C. Sugar, 20 lbs. $1.40	Old Dutch Cleanser, per tin 9c
Solar Sliced Hawaiian Pineapple, large 2½ tins, reg. 40c, for ..... 28¢	Royal City Pluma, large tins ..... 19¢
Or 2 for ..... 52¢	Corn on the Cob, large tins ..... 25¢
Heyman's Pate de Foie Gras, reg. 50c tin for ..... 35¢	Quaker Corn, tin ..... 16¢
	Royal City Tomatoes, large tin, ... 16¢
	Pimentoes, 2 tins for ..... 25¢
Pacific, St. Charles or Carnation Milk, large tins 11c	Del Monte Peaches, reg. 30 tins for 22c
Campbell's Pork and Beans, 2 tins for ..... 25¢	Mack's No-Rub, 6 pkts. ..... 25¢
Finest Table Salt, 3½-lb. sack ..... 9¢	Lanka Tea, 1-lb. pkt. ..... 60¢
Ghirardelli's Ground Chocolate, 1-lb. tin ..... 45¢	Broken Orange Pekoe Tea, reg. 65c lb., for ..... 55¢
Ready-Cut Macaroni, 2 lbs. ..... 25¢	Or 3 lbs. for $1.50
	Pure Mustard, double superfine, per lb. ..... 45¢
B. & K. Rolled Oats, 7-lb. sack 44c	Nice Sultana Raisins, 3 bls. for 25c
Fresh Roasted Peanuts, 2 lbs. ..... 25¢	Nice Juicy Lemons, 2 doz. ..... 35¢
Fresh Hallowi Dates, lb. ..... 10¢	Good Cooking Apples, reg. $2.25 box for $1.75
Extra Large Smyrna Layer Figs, reg. 40c lb., for ..... 25¢	Nice Sweet Prunes, 3 lbs. ..... 25¢
Mixed Nuts, 2 lbs. for ..... 35¢	Shelled Peanuts, per lb. ..... 10¢
Sweet Oranges, regular 40c doz. for 25¢, or 27 oranges for 50c	
Cowan's Nut and Milk Chocolate, reg. 60c lb., for ..... 43¢	Fresh Fruit Cake, lb. ..... 30¢
Crystallized Ginger, reg. 40c lb. ..... 32¢	Or 2 lbs. for ..... 55¢
Assorted Chocolates, reg. 40c lb. for ..... 32¢	Glace Cherries, reg. 55c lb., for ..... 40¢
	Uneeda Soda Crackers, 3 pkts. ..... 25¢
Chocolate Eclair Biscuits, per lb. 33c	Marshmallows, plain or toasted, reg. 45c lb., for 35c
Fig Bar Biscuits, per lb. 22c	
Fresh B.C. Cream Cheese, 2 pkgs. ..... 25¢	Pure Lard, per lb. ..... 20¢
Crisco, 3-lb. tin for ..... 76¢	Or 3 lbs. for ..... 58¢
Reception Mincemeat, pure fruit, per lb. ..... 20¢	Peanut Butter, per lb. ..... 18¢
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Local Grain-Fed Pork, Loins, per lb., 26¢ and 24c	Round Steak, per lb., 18¢ and 15c
Legs, per lb., 27¢ and 25c	Mutton Chops, English style, per lb. 45c
Shoulders, per lb., 19¢ and 15c	Weiners, fresh made, per lb. 25c
Pure Pork Sausages, per lb. 25¢, or 2 lbs. for 47c	FISH DEPARTMENT SPECIALS
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Highway Camp Quarantined

CHILLIWACK, Feb. 12.—The Provincial Government highway construction camp at Laidlaw has been quarantined for observation by Dr. J. C. Elliott, following a report from Vancouver that one case of smallpox received there came from the camp.

Mr. Stirling Introduced

OTTAWA, Feb. 12.—Grote Stirling, the new Conservative member for Yale, B.C., was introduced in the House of Commons this afternoon by Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen and C. H. Dickie, Conservative, Nanaimo.

City and District

Garden City W.I.—The Garden City Women's Institute will hold a 500 drive in the Marigold Hall today, at 8 p.m.

Postponed Silver Tea—The silver tea which was to have been held by St. Mary's W. A. on Saturday has been postponed until after Easter.

Saanich Ratepayers—The monthly meeting of the Saanich Central Ratepayers' Association will be held tonight, at 8 o'clock, in Tolmie School.

Liberal Forum—Mrs. R. B. Mosher, will address the Liberal Women's Forum this afternoon at its monthly meeting in the Liberal Club rooms. Her topic will be "Women and Organization."

St. Joseph's Auxiliary—The Ladies' Auxiliary of St. Joseph's Hospital will hold their regular monthly meeting at three o'clock in the Nurses' Recreation Room. All members are asked to make a special effort to attend.

Burnside Card Party—The winners of the Burnside card party last week were Mrs. Edwards, Mrs. Karmode, Mrs. D. Vallance (special), Mr. Boston and Mr. Byron. Special Valentine features will be introduced into the game to be held tomorrow.

Tuberculous Veterans—The Tuberculous Veterans' Association will hold its next general meeting Monday in the P. R. Brown Block at 8 p.m. As there is business of an important nature to be dealt with every member is requested to be present.

Tourist Concert—The concert and dance under the auspices of the Tourist Trade Group of the Chamber of Commerce this evening will be in charge of the Ladies' Musical Society under the leadership of Mrs. F. Leeder.

Spring Flowers—A bunch of wild flowers gathered in fields adjacent to Victoria was left at The Colonist office yesterday as evidence of an early Spring. Among the flowers were crocus, jasmine, aconite and broom blossoms.

Ward One Liberals—A meeting of Ward One Liberals will be held Monday at 8 p.m. in the Liberal Rooms. Important business will be discussed. A good attendance is expected. Ward One includes Victoria West and the part of Victoria west of Government Street.

Education As a Socialiser—"Education as a Means of Socialising Men and Women," is to be the subject of Dr. Paton's address tonight at the Memorial Hall. This meeting is open to the public. Dr. Paton is speaking this morning at 11 o'clock at Victoria College.

Tickets for Banquet—Tickets for the civic banquet at the Empress Hotel on Monday night in honor of Captain J. W. Troup will be placed on sale this morning at the office of the Mayor's secretary, and at the Chamber of Commerce. Only a very limited number is available.

St. Paul's Meeting—The annual meeting of the parents and teachers of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Victoria West, will be held this evening, commencing at eight o'clock. An interesting programme has been arranged and an address will be given by the Rev. Robert Knox.

Reserved Judgment — Judgment was reserved by Mr. Justice W. A. McDonald in the Supreme Court yesterday in the trial of Robert Porter & Sons vs. Foster et al., which was concluded yesterday afternoon. Mr. H. A. Maclean, K.C., appeared for the plaintiffs and Mr. H. B. Robertson, K.C., for the defendants.

Tolmie P.-T. Body—The Tolmie Parent-Teachers' Association will hold a dance on Wednesday next, in the Lake Hill Community Centre. Dancing will be enjoyed from 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m., and music will be provided by Pitt's orchestra. Members and their friends are invited to attend.

Notified of Brother's Death—Rev. Dr. W. Leslie Clay has received information of the death, on Saturday last, of his eldest brother, Mr. Alexander A. Clay, of New Gloucester, after a prolonged illness. The deceased had been a member of the Customs Service for many years, but of late had been in ill health.

To Visit Paint Works—The Victoria branch of the Engineering Institute of Canada will meet on Saturday at 9:45 a.m. at 200 Belleville Street for the purpose of visiting the British American Paint Works. It is earnestly hoped that a large attendance will be at this meeting. It will be possible to observe various processes under working conditions.

Lodge Primrose — The regular meeting of Lodge Primrose, No. 22, of the Daughters and Maids of England will be held in the Harmony Hall this evening. The captain would like all the officers to be there at seven o'clock so as to have a practice drill, as there are a number of new members to initiate. The meeting will commence at eight o'clock sharp.

Presbyterians Meeting Here—The Provincial executive of the Presbyterian Church Association will meet in this city Tuesday, when several important matters in connection with the continuing Presbyterian Church will be considered. Representatives are expected from several places on the Mainland and also from Up-Island points. The local secretary of the Association is Mr. T. Humphries, manager of the Dominion Life Assurance Co., Pemberton Building.

Rock Climbing—"Rock Climbing From an Alpinist's Point of View" was the subject of an interesting and instructive address given by Rev. Robert Connell at the regular monthly meeting of the Vancouver Island section of the Alpine Club of Canada Wednesday evening at the home of the chairman, Mr. W. H. Dougan. In a manner which showed that he was thoroughly familiar with his subject Mr. Connell told his audience what to expect from the many geological formations encountered in the mountains, and cited instances where a knowledge of geology assisted the climber in overcoming very difficult slopes. The thanks of the section were tendered Mr. Connell by the chairman.

Valentine Tea—The T.B. committee of the Victoria Women's Institute is holding a tea in its rooms, Surrey Block, Yates Street, on Saturday afternoon from 2:30 till 5:30, when it is hoped all friends and everyone interested will avail themselves of the opportunity to help this work by coming for a cup of tea. There will be teacup reading and fortunes will be told. There will also be a table of home cooking.

Cousin's Whereabouts Sought—Mrs. Marion Green, 923 15th Street, Brandon, Manitoba, has written to The Colonist with the object of discovering, if possible, the whereabouts of Mr. Vincent Gabb, her cousin. Mr. Gabb came out to Canada from Birmingham, England, twenty-five years ago, resided at Kamloops for a time, and five years later, it is believed, came to Victoria, where he is said to have married a Miss Butler. Mrs. Green will appreciate receiving any news of his present whereabouts.

Esquimalt Court—In the Esquimalt police court yesterday afternoon Magistrate Jay disposed of several charges brought up by Chief Dawley. Two members of H. M. C. S. Patrician who were arrested early in the morning were each fined $25 and $1 costs. Ah Tom, a Chinaman, appeared on two separate charges. One was that of leaving his horse without the specified weight attached and the other that of carrying on a junk business without a licence. He was fined $5 and $2.50 costs in each instance.

Humors of Teaching—Mr. John L. Paton, M. A., retiring headmaster of Manchester Grammar School, England, will be the speaker at the meeting of the Women's Canadian Club at the Empress Hotel on Tuesday at 2:45 p.m. Mr. Paton will speak on "The Humors of the Teaching Profession," a subject which promises much entertainment. In addition to the address of the afternoon a presentation will be made of a prize awarded to Miss Hilda Marshall, of Ladysmith, in connection with the Dominion essay contest conducted by the League of Nations Society.

Valentine Dance—All is in readiness for the Valentine dance being held in the Agricultural Hall, Saanichton, under the auspices of the North and South Saanich Agricultural Society tonight. If the reports coming in from all over the district are any indication, the affair promises to be one of the most popular held in the community this season. Ozard's orchestra will provide the music, and dancing will be from 9 to 2. For the convenience of patrons from Victoria, arrangements have been made with the "Flying Line" stage to leave from opposite the Dominion Hotel at 8:15 p.m., returning to Victoria after the dance.

President Orders Girls To Abandon Abbreviated Skirts and Other Things

LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 12.—Co-eds of Union College at Collegeview, Lincoln, were given four days in which to abandon short skirts, low-necked dresses, rouge and lipstick and adopt attire specified by President W. W. Prescott, in an ultimatum issued yesterday. The girls were ordered by President Prescott to garb themselves in clothing in no way conspicuous. He prescribed the following: Skirts not more than nine inches from the ground, elbow-length sleeves, closely fitting collars and rougeless faces.

THE WEATHER

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., February 13, 1925.

SYNOPSIS

The barometer remains high over Northern British Columbia, and fair weather is spreading southward on the Pacific Slope. Heavy rains have occurred in California. Zero temperatures are becoming general on the Prairies.

TEMPERATURE

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	42	48
Vancouver	36	52
Kamloops	24	32
Barkerville	2	24
Prince Rupert	36	42
Estevan	24	50
Atlin	8b	8
Dawson, Y.T.	14b	4b
Calgary, Alta.	14	28
Winnipeg, Man.	6	14
Portland, Ore.	42	48
San Francisco, Cal.	50	58
Seattle, Wash.	44	50
Penticton	34	40
Vernon	32	36
Grand Forks	27	41
Nelson	28	43
Cranbrook	24	36
Edmonton, Alta.	2b	18
Prince Albert, Sask.	4b	4

THURSDAY

Maximum	51
Minimum	42
Average	46
Minimum on the grass	46

Bright sunshine, 1 hour, 24 minutes.
Rain, trace.
General state of the weather, fair.

5:0 P.M. Weather Reports

Victoria—Barometer, 29.92, wind, N.E., 12 miles; fair.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.92; wind, W., 4 miles; clear.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.00; wind, W., 4 miles; clear.

Barkerville—Barometer, 30.10; calm; clear.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.04; calm; clear.

Estevan—Barometer, 29.92; wind, N.W., 6 miles; clear.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 29.98; wind, N.E., 10 miles; fair.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 29.94; wind, N.W., 6 miles; rain, .22 inch; cloudy.

Seattle, Wash.—Barometer, 29.96; wind, N., 4 miles; rain, trace; fair.

San Francisco, Cal.—Barometer, 29.88; wind, S.W., 14 miles; rain, .96 inch; cloudy.

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PUBLICITY BUREAU WILL HOLD ANNUAL MEETING TODAY NOON

The annual meeting of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau will be held today in the Chamber of Commerce at 12:15, and will be over in time to give members an opportunity of witnessing the arrival of the Princess Kathleen.

PRESTON REPORT ON COMBINE IS TABLED

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they were reading it, what effect was to be given to it.

Liverpool Shipping Amazed

LONDON, Feb. 12.—Liverpool shipping circles are amazed at the report of W. T. R. Preston, to the Canadian Government, tabled in the House of Commons on Monday, which contained a sweeping indictment of the monopoly of ocean rates by the North Atlantic Shipping Combine and approved the Government subsidy of ships of the Paterson interests, according to the Liverpool correspondent of The Morning Post.

Summaries which have been cabled from Ottawa would lead to the belief that the Preston report had been drawn up in particular reference to some domestic situation in Canada with which the people of this country are not at present fully acquainted, otherwise it is difficult to understand why a sweeping condemnation of the shipping combine is made, says The Post.

"The whole report becomes more inexplicable as the Canadian Government Merchant Marine ships have been represented in the westbound North Atlantic Conference on this side of the Atlantic by one of the conference steamship lines, and only recently the Canadian Government itself sought and was granted a direct membership in the conference. On the other side of the Atlantic, the Canadian Government themselves have taken part in the deliberations of the conference," The Post adds.

(The Canadian Government Merchant Marine has withdrawn from the North Atlantic Shipping Combine, Hon. G. P. Graham, Minister of Railways and Canals, stated in Parliament on Monday).

Preston Complaints Supported

Commercial men in England support the complaints contained in the Preston report on the North Atlantic freight rates situation regarding the anomalies in freight rates, The Westminster Gazette says today. It adds that the Association of Chambers of Commerce have repeatedly approached the shipping companies with a view of obtaining modifications of rates but have been unsuccessful.

The Liverpool correspondent of The Daily Telegraph quotes a prominent shipping man of Liverpool as saying, regarding both passenger and freight rates, that the Canadian trade is the most free in the world. Freight rates, according to this official, have been reduced to almost unremunerative levels and the profits on passenger trade was very small. If the Dominion Government carry out their plan to subsidize a fleet of steamships they will be fighting not only the North Atlantic Shipping Conference, but the open market as well, says the official.

British shipping companies in the North Atlantic trade are not alarmed by the talk of the Government-aided shipping, The Telegraph says. The efforts of the United States in this direction have proved anything but a success.

If it can be proved that discrimination, either in freight rates or marine insurance is being practiced against Canada, such would be as keenly resented in this country as it would be in Canada.

In Restraint of Development

Referring to the heavy burdens which the state-owned steamships and railways already place on the people of Canada, the newspaper puts forth the opinion that they are operating in restraint of the development of the Dominion. "England is as keenly alive as is Canada to the importance of securing economic ocean freight and passenger rates, and if anything can be learned from the Canadian Government, we will prove backward pupils, but the experience of men in this country is that the less the Government interferes with business, the better it is for all concerned, and that the subsidies are no cure for the transportation troubles," states The Telegraph.

The Glasgow Herald asserts today that the charges contained in the Preston report are one-sided, and that they savor too much of a partisan statement to be accepted without close examination. Shipping companies must pay their way, the newspaper says. If Canada is prepared to operate her shipping on a non-profit basis and is ready to make good any losses out of the taxpayers' money, it is a matter for Canada alone; but if the North Atlantic Shipping Combine acts detrimentally to Canada's interests, as the Preston report claims, then the obvious remedy is to invite the Council of the Imperial Shipping Committee, which exists solely for dealing with such questions.

"The fact that Canada has not consulted the Imperial Shipping Conference rather encourages the belief that Canada is childlike. Canada wants to eat her cake and still have it," says The Herald.

From Brussels to Congo

BRUSSELS, Feb. 12.—Lieut. Thieffray, Belgian aviator, left here this morning for a 5,000-mile flight in a tri-motored plane to Leopoldville, Belgian Congo. The itinerary provides for seven stops, the first at Perpignan, France.

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Spinning Song (Song Without Words, No. 34) (Op. 67, No. 4) Mendelssohn
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Prelude in G Major (Op. 32, No. 5) ..... Rachmaninoff
Valse in D Flat Major (Op. 64, No. 1) ..... Chopin
Waltz and Elfin Dance (Grieg, Op. 12, No. 2)
Waltz in A Flat (Tschaikowsky, Op. 40, No. 8)
Waltz in B Minor (Chopin, Op. 69, No. 2)

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Ottawa Member Would Put Tax on Bachelors

OTTAWA, Feb. 12.—Are Canadian bachelors in danger of having a tax imposed upon them? Evidence of the matter is at last in the mind of one member of the House. "Would you suggest a tax on bachelors?" asked Donald Sutherland, Conservative, South Oxford, in the course of the speech of Herbert Marler, Liberal, St. Lawrence-St. George, this afternoon. "In my honorable friend a bachelor?" countered Mr. Marler, amid laughter. "If he is I would put a large tax on them. I would put such a high tax on bachelors that he would be completely wiped out in a few minutes."

Thousands Have Banished Gray Hair with this Clean, Colorless Liquid

Make a Test of Kolor-Bak Today

People everywhere praise Kolor-Bak for its remarkable power to banish grayness. The results are really astonishing, for no matter what the original shade was, it quickly reappears when this clean, colorless liquid is used.

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MISS WILKINSON DECLARES DRESS WAS HOME-MADE

Lady Socialist Member of Commons Greets House in Black and Uncovered—Man Comments

LONDON, Feb. 12.—When Ellen Wilkinson, the Socialist member for Middlesbrough East, who startled the House of Commons Tuesday night by bursting upon the solemn debate on the endowment of the Church of Scotland bill arrayed in a diaphanous gown of a sea-green hue and with her auburn hair all shingled and shorn, rose in her place in the House yesterday to submit a question, she was attired in a black frock, and uncovered.

Colonel Applein, evidently remembering Miss Wilkinson's impression upon the House last night, appealed to the Speaker and asked: "Is this honorable member permitted to address the House uncovered, in view of your ruling that ladies may address the House covered?"

"A Lot of Snobs"

"Look at the members opposite," interrupted a Labor member. "Aren't they a lot of snobs?"

The Speaker replied that Miss Wilkinson was quite in order, and the member for Middlesbrough East then put her question.

When Lady Astor first took her seat in the House of Commons she wore a toque or kind of headgear, but other women members preferred to attend the House without hats. However, it was considered likely that women would generally enter the House covered, and the Speaker ruled that they might so address the chair.

Miss Wilkinson told the Canadian Press yesterday that her green dress which caused such a sensation Tuesday night was made by herself, and cost ten shillings. She had her auburn tresses shingled just one hour before the House assembled.

TORONTO GRADUATES HOLD COAST RALLY

The engineering graduates of the University of Toronto, resident in British Columbia, met at their annual reunion recently at the University Club, Vancouver. Fraternizing about the dining table, thirty-five members of the Pacific Coast association pleasantly recalled old school days and recounted memories of past experiences in classroom, on playground, in dormitory, or most often the plain hall bedroom—sometimes bordering very closely on the "Ward"—all these incident with college life on the campus at Varsity.

The toasts included "The Old Red School," proposed and responded to respectively by A. J. McPherson, '93, and W. A. Gourlay, '03; "Ourselves," by J. A. Walker, '08; W. G. Swan, '05, and J. E. Umbach, '03; "British Columbia," by C. W. Colvin, '98; H. L. Batten, '11, and A. N. Wolverton, '98; and "The Ladies," by G. P. Birrett, '08, and P. H. Buchan, '08. In the absence of Mr. J. H. Kennedy, '82, the oldest living graduate of S.P.S., an interesting and entertaining letter from him was read by the secretary. The writer vividly described incidents occurring during the earliest days of S.P.S., when the principal and only teacher was beloved "Johnny" Galbraith.

Other members present included A. P. Augustine, '07; C. A. Bell, '13; T. H. Crosby, '09; F. F. Foote, '13; E. R. Gilley, '20; H. O. R. Horwood, '02; J. W. Hermon, '15; R. C. Hardie, '20; A. E. Henderson, '89; W. J. Johnston, '09; E. A. Jamieson, '10; D. M. MacDonald, '21; F. W. McNeill, '07; D. J. McGugan, '08; A. L. MacNaughton, '03; T. A. McElhanney, '10; S. A. McLennan, H. J. McCreery, '20; W. W. Ritchie, '20; R. A. Story, '11; W. A. Smelser, '16; J. D. Stalker, '07; C. E. Webb, '09; H. G. Wright, '07.

Those from Victoria and vicinity included W. A. Gourlay, '03, Department of Public Works; J. E. Umbach, '03, Surveyor-General, and J. H. McIntosh, '23, of Bamberton.

The various courses and toasts were interspersed with numerous lively college songs and lusty yells, the whole creating a pleasant reminder of what college days once were. The president, C. E. Webb, carried out the duties of toastmaster.

NANAIMO G. W. V. A.

NANAIMO, Feb. 12.—The annual meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the G.W.V.A. was held last evening, at which reports covering activities of the Auxiliary for the year just closed were read, and new officers elected. According to the secretary's statement, the Auxiliary had a successful year, the number of members in good standing being fifty-five, and the amount of money raised during the year, for all purposes, being $1,269.48. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mrs. Matthews; first vice-president, Mrs. A. Murdock; second vice-president, Mrs. Somers; secretary, Mrs. C. Brown; financial secretary, Mrs. H. Davidson; treasurer, Mrs. Foy.

A pleasing feature was performed at the conclusion of the routine business, when Mrs. T. Spencer presented Mrs. J. S. Dunn, retiring president, with a beautiful basket of carnations, on behalf of the Auxiliary in appreciation of her services as head of the organization for the past year. The meeting then resolved itself into a social affair and refreshments were served. A number of the members of the Great War Veterans were present and enjoyed the repast. Mr. Dodds called for Mrs. Dunn a second time, and explained the general appreciation which existed in the ranks of he Veterans for the splendid work accomplished by the Auxiliary since its inception. In all the undertakings in which the veterans had assisted, they had found it a source of delight to work under harmonious conditions, and on behalf of the Veterans he asked Mrs. Dunn to accept a pyrex casserole, encased in pierced silver. Mrs. Dunn made a suitable reply, and assured the assembly that although she would not be in office, her services would never cease. Mrs. Matthews and Mrs. Sampson also gave interesting addresses.

By a unanimous vote the Women's Auxiliary decided to affiliate with the Nanaimo Local Council of Women.

Steal $15,000 Worth of Goods

TOLEDO, Ohio, Feb. 12.—Four bandits kidnapped three American Railway Express Company messengers on the outskirts of Detroit today and stole a truck carrying between $15,000 and $18,000 worth of merchandise, it was reported here. The merchandise was consigned to Ohio cities.

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Size 36 x 36. Prices $1.25
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Size 54 x 54. Price $3.39
Size 68 x 68. Prices, $2.98, $3.29
and $3.69
Size 68 x 86. Prices $3.98
and $4.75
Size 72 x 108. Prices $6.98
and $7.50
Size 81 x 81. Price $5.50
Size 90 x 90. Price $10.00

Napkins

Per dozen, $3.98, $4.75 and $4.98

Hemstitched Tablecloths

Size 36 x 36. Price $1.98
Size 45 x 45. Price $2.75
Size 54 x 54. Price $3.98
Size 66 x 66. Price $4.50
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Hemstitched Table Napkins

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Novelty Silkette Bedspreads

Here are attractive bedspreads that will enrich the appearance of your room. They are made from artificial silk yarns in many beautiful color combinations of rose, blue, saxe and helio. Sizes 64 by 90 and 74 by 90.
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Hand-Made Merzapore Rugs From India

The durability of these rugs is one of the outstanding features. Every knot tied by hand, shown in exquisite designs and colorings. We are offering these rugs now at prices which are away below the average Wilton.

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Wilton Rugs at Sale Prices

Fine Quality Worsted Wilton Rugs in colorings and designs that are suitable for living-rooms, dining-rooms, halls, etc. Buy now at these sale prices and save money.

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Reversible Wool Rugs

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Durable Quality Rugs, suitable for any room in the house. Sale Price, each $2.45

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Friday Specials at the

Tobacco Counter

La Rosa Cigars, 10c value, 4 for 25¢
Cigar Cases, $1.75 value $1.49
Cigarette Rollers, quick and easy, at $1.49
Cigarette Holders, very attractive and in long varieties, at ..... 43¢
½-lb. of Chateau Tobacco and a Briar Pipe for ..... 59¢

Special Turkey Luncheon

Will Be Served Today in Our Victorian Restaurant 11:30 to 2:30

—4th Floor

Women's Silk Hose

Regular $3.00, for $2.00

Included in this offering are glove silk hose, pure thread silk in drop-stitch design, also with clocks, and heavy quality silk hose. In colors of brown, seal, suede, navy, grey and white. Sizes 8½ to 10. Not all sizes in any one color. Regular $3.00. Friday Bargain, per pair $2.00

—Main Floor

Trimmed Hats

At Away Less Than Half Price

Trimmed Hats in materials of velvet or velvet combined with silk fabrics, with feathers, wings or embroidered ornaments. Values to $12.50. Friday Bargain $4.95

Another group of Trimmed Hats, mostly all patterns, marked to clear at a greatly reduced price. Values to $18.50. Friday Bargain $7.50

—2nd Floor

Rubberized Aprons Special at $1.29

Extra large size, in neat checks of blue and white, mauve and white, and black and white, two patch pockets, trimmed with attractive colored chintz. Friday Bargain $1.29

—2nd Floor

Knitted "Rayon" Silk Step-Ins

Special, $1.59

Knitted Fibre Silk Step-Ins, in shades of flesh, orchid and peach also white and black. Friday Bargain $1.59

—2nd Floor

Women's Plain Tailored and Fur-Trimmed COATS

Values to $22.50 for $12.95

In all-wool velour and cut velour, some with side fatsenings and good beaverine collars, or trimmed with bands of Thibetine, fancy stitching, embroidery. Others are strictly tailored with belt and raglan shoulders, full or half lined. Sizes 16 to 38. Values to $22.50. Friday Bargain $12.95

—2nd Floor

Gossard Corsets

Values to $7.50 for $3.98

Made in durable coutil in medium bust line, grading to higher back, long skirt, well boned, with elastic section across back; two sets of hose supporters. Sizes 23 to 34. Also broken lines in pink or black satin. Sizes 22 to 26. Values to $7.50. Friday Bargain $3.98

—2nd Floor

Formfit Girdleieres

Values to $3.95 for $2.49

Made of silk striped material with elastic adjustment over hips, light feather boning across abdominal section and in the back, tape shoulder straps, fastens in the side front, four hose supporters; pink only. Sizes 32 to 40. Values $3.95. Friday Bargain $2.49

—2nd Floor

Flannelette Blouses Special, $1.39

In durable quality flannelette. Made with convertible collar and long sleeves. In shades of grey, pink and sky, also in neat stripe effects. Friday Bargain $1.39

—2nd Floor

Women's Fashionable Pumps

Greatly Reduced

Brown Kid Colonial Pumps
With brown suede trimming, covered Louis heels, smart dress last. Sizes 3 to 7. Former price $10.50. Friday Bargain, per pair $6.50

Beige and Grey Suede Pumps
Colonial style, covered Louis heels, fashionable last. Sizes 5½ to 7½. Former price $10.50. Friday Bargain, per pair $6.50

Patent Leather Colonial Pumps
Covered Spanish heels. Sizes 4 to 7. Smart shoes for informal and formal wear. Friday Bargain, pair $6.50

—Main Floor

Women's Kid Gloves

Values to $6.50 for $1.98

Fine French Kid Gloves in 8 and 10-button length, self points and oversewn seams. In shades of tan, brown, grey, black and white. Sizes 5½ to 7. Not all sizes in each color, but all sizes in the lot. Regular values to $6.50. Friday Bargain, per pair $1.98

—Main Floor

Taffeta Ribbon

Regular 29c, for 19c

4½-Inch Taffeta Ribbon, in shades of sky, pink, emerald, saxe, rose, purple, white and navy. Suitable for hair bows, sashes, etc. Regular 29c. Friday Bargain, per yard ..... 19¢

—Main Floor

Notion Specials

For Today's Shoppers

Gaiety Girl Hair Nets
Silk Hair Nets, with elastic. In shades of light, medium and dark brown, auburn, blonde and black. Friday Bargain ..... 6 for 25¢

Best Brass Pins
Containing one-quarter of a pound of best brass pins, suitable for dressmakers' use. Friday Bargain, per box ..... 29¢

Revolving Needle Cases
Containing 50 needles, assorted sizes. Friday Bargain ..... 18¢

—Main Floor

Children's Combinations

$1.50 Value for 98c

In medium weight fleeced cotton, short or long sleeves, knee or ankle length. Sizes 2 and 3 years only. Value $1.50. Friday Bargain ..... 98¢

Girls' Combinations

Values to $2.50 for $1.49

In fleece knit cotton, short or long sleeves, knee or ankle length. Sizes 12 to 14 years. Values to $2.50. Friday Bargain $1.49

—2nd Floor

Half Price Oddment Table of Infants' and Children's Wear

Included are wool pull-overs and jackets, also flannelette slips and nightgowns, bloomer dresses, wool gaiters and kid shoes, children's white raincapes, knit bloomers, girls' white voile dresses, sateen bloomers and fibre silk sweaters. Friday, Half Price.

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200 Pairs Double Bed Size Hemstitched Sheets

Fully Bleached Hemstitched Sheets, made from pure yarns in a round thread weave. An exceptional home-furnishing offering. Friday Bargain, per pair $3.95

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79c a Yard

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At 43c Each

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White Turkish Bath Sheets

Size 48 by 78. Sale Price, each $2.49

—Main Floor

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Extra heavy quality, in weights suitable for most purposes, including mattress covers; 40 inches wide. Friday Bargain, per yard ..... 29¢

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Jardinieres, Vases and Bulb Bowls at 89c Each

Don't miss this opportunity to get a real bargain. We have just received a shipment of Tokenobe ware, including jardinieres that will hold a 6-inch flower pot, 10-inch flower vases in various shapes, bulb bowls complete with flower block, and some have footed stands. Shown in dark green and black with bright colored medallions and flowers. Friday Bargain, each ..... 89¢

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Regular $2.25 and $2.75, for $1.95

Made from strong quality tweeds in grey and brown shades. Cut good and roomy, with governor fasteners, full lined with cotton. Sizes to fit boys 14 to 16 years. Regular $2.25 and $2.75. Friday Bargain, per pair $1.95

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Men's English Wool Felt Hats at $2.69

English Made Fine Wool Felt Hats in heather and Oxford shades. Has real leather sweat band, silk band, and is bound with silk. All sizes. Friday Bargain, each $2.69

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Men's Khaki Twill Shirts, $1.39

Made from strong quality khaki twill, has two pockets with flaps and buttons and attached collar. A good shirt for the workingman. Sizes 14 to 17. Friday Bargain, each $1.39

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Attractive Colored Art Sateen, suitable for comforters, cushions, etc.; 31 inches wide. Regular 59c. Sale Price, per yard ..... 39¢

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31-Inch Hand-Blocked Cretonnes in a good assortment of colorings. Values to $1.25. Sale Price, per yard ..... 69¢

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In shades of cream, rose and blue; 50 inches wide. Values to $1.15. Sale Price, per yard ..... 69¢

Damask Brocades
50 Inches wide, in blue, brown and rose shades. Sale Price, per yard $1.69

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Heavy Quality Linen Finished Cretonnes, in hand-blocked colorings and designs. A quality that you would expect to pay at least $3.50 per yard for. Sale Price, per yard $1.25

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Double Width Velours, in blue or brown shades. Ideal for archway curtains. Values to $3.50. Sale Price, per yard $2.25

Silk Gauze and Curtain Silks
Fast color silks, also blue and gold gauze. Beautiful fabrics for curtains; 50 inches wide. Values to $4.75. Sale Price, per yard, $2.75

—3rd Floor

Friday Bargains in

Drug Sundries

Liquid Petrolatum, heavy, 75c value for ..... 53¢
Scott's Emulsion, large size ..... 88¢
Syr. Hypophosphites, $1.00 value, 79¢
Palatable Cod Liver Oil Tonic, $1.00 value ..... 87¢
Parrish's Chemical Food, 50c value for ..... 39¢
Full Strength Seidlitz Powders, 25c value ..... 16¢
Wampole's Cod Liver Oil Tonic for $1.00
Palmolive Shaving Cream, 35c value for ..... 23¢
Shaving Brushes ..... 60¢, 75¢, $1.00
Mandruka Bath Sponges at $1.37
Chamois Skins, extra large and good quality $1.49
Hair Brushes, $1.25 value ..... 98¢
Clothes Brushes ..... 49¢
Tooth Brushes, silver wired bristles, each ..... 43¢
Vinolia Castile Soap, long bars ..... 21¢
Oxford Toilet Soap, 6 cakes ..... 25¢
Round Bath Soap, 15c value, 3 for ..... 26¢

—Lower Main Floor

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No. 1 Quality Alberta Creamery Butter, per lb. ..... 41¢
3 lbs. for $1.20
Pure Bulk Lard, per lb. ..... 22¢
3 lbs. for ..... 65¢
Finest Selected Smoked Picnic Hams, per lb. ..... 18¢
Finest Selected Smoked Cottage Rolls, per lb. ..... 22¢
Sweet Pickled Picnic Hams, lb. ..... 17¢
Sweet Pickled Cottage Rolls, lb. ..... 20¢
Mild Canadian Cheese, per lb. ..... 26¢
Kraft Canadian Cheese, 1-lb. pkg. for ..... 45¢
Little Pig Pork Sausages, lb. ..... 23¢
2 lbs. for ..... 45¢
Finest Kippers, per lb. ..... 15¢
Finest Quality Haddie Fillets, lb. ..... 25¢
Hudson's Bay Special Breakfast Tea, only 600 lbs. left, no more at this price. While it lasts, per lb. ..... 55¢
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Hudson's Bay Special Blend Freshly Roasted Pure Coffee, per lb. 40c

Finest Quality B.C. Granulated Sugar, 20-lb. paper sack $1.40
Laurel Brand Pitted Red Cherries, large tin; ..... 3 for $1.00
Del Monte Brand Hawaiian Pineapple, No. 2 tin ..... 3 for $1.00
Del Monte Brand Hawaiian Pineapple, No. 2 tin, crushed ..... 2 for 55¢

Fruit and Vegetables

Sweet California Navel Oranges, per dozen ..... 30¢, 40¢, 50¢ and 60¢
Fancy Dessert Apples, 3 lbs. for 25¢
Fancy Cooking Apples, 4 lbs. ..... 25¢
Choice Florida Grapefruit, 2 for 25¢
Fresh Local Rhubarb, per lb. ..... 20¢
Fine Stewing Pears, 5 lbs. for 25¢
Firm White Cabbage, per lb. ..... 7¢
Imported Cauliflower, each ..... 30¢
Jerusalem Artichokes, 4 lbs. for 25¢

—Lower Main Floor

CANDIES

Cocoanut Cream Hearts. Special, per lb. ..... 35¢
Valentine Fancy Mixture, consisting of small hearts, jellies and fondants. Special, per lb. ..... 30¢

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Society and Women's Affairs

Honor Mr. and Mrs. G. Elliott

Dr. and Mrs. H. LeRoy Burgess, 1251 Victoria Avenue, entertained on Tuesday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. George Elliott, whose marriage took place recently in Seattle. Mrs. Elliott received her guests in a smart gown of bronze taffeta made on straight lines and caught to one side with a large bronze flower. Mrs. Elliott was assisted in receiving by her mother and mother-in-law, Mrs. Thomas Watson and Mrs. J. E. Elliott. The drawing-room and den were decorated with pale pink carnations, daffodils and pussy willow. In the dining-room the table was prettily decorated with a silver basket of carnations and tied with a bow of pale pink and green tulle. Mrs. Burgess was assisted in serving by Miss Gladys Watson, Miss Thelma Burgess, Miss Helene Elliott, Miss Aileen Lawrence, Miss Eileen Haslham, Miss Clare Wachter, Miss Yvonne North. Among the numerous and beautiful gifts received by the young couple were a cut glass water set from W. & J. Wilson and a silver casserole from the long distance operators of the B. C. Telephone Company. During the evening dance music was supplied by Zala's orchestra. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Geiger, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ackerman, Mr. and Mrs. W. Kippen, Mrs. J. E. Elliott, Mrs. George Jones, Mrs. Maynard (Calgary), Mrs. J. Phillips, Mrs. F. Spencer, Miss Thelma Burgess, Miss Gladys Watson, Miss Helene Elliott, Miss Aileen Lawrence, Miss Eileen Haslham, Miss Clare Wachter, Miss Yvonne North, Miss Jean Brocklebank, Miss Myrtle Steenson, Miss Eva Spencer, Miss Gwen Spencer, Miss Eva Christie, Miss Maud Williams, Misses Warburton, Miss Mary Custance, Mr. R. Burns, Mr. Frank Cameron, Mr. A. Watson, Mr. Chris Ferryman, Mr. Ernie Stocks, Mr. Ronald Cruchanks, Mr. Terris, Mr. Ben Davis, Mr. Tommy Watson, Lieutenant Holms.

Victorians in Los Angeles

The following, from The Los Angeles Times of Sunday last, will be of interest to many here: "On Thursday night, preceding the Wampus Club dance at the Ambassador Hotel, Mr. Lewis Coleman Hall entertained at the Hollywood Hotel in honor of Mr. Bliss Carman, the eminent Canadian poet. Covers were laid for twelve, and among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Reynolds (Alma Whittaker), Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Butt, Miss Louise Hayward, of Victoria, Canada; Mrs. Stanley, Mr. Simmons, who spent a Summer in Victoria. The favors were Bliss Carman's autograph and ivory and cloisonne cigarette holders; the place cards were a verse, each different, of Mr. Carman's, which each read in turn."

Farewell Dance

The Civil Service Dance Club held a small invitation farewell dance in the club rooms in honor of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Coulson, of South Shields, England, who are shortly leaving Victoria via the Panama Canal for home. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Lindsay, Mr. and Mrs. W. Currie, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Nunn, Mr. and Mrs. W. Colvin, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Coulson, Mr. and Mrs. F. Ireland, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Bridge, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Blake, the Misses Eastman, Dash, Jaegers, Messrs. Hooton, Dash, Hardey, Mills, Huxtable and Carver.

Surprise Party

A merry party of friends invaded the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Shanks, Camosun Street, on Monday evening for a surprise party, the evening being pleasantly spent in cards and music. At midnight a delicious supper was served. Among the many guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. Woodruff, Mr. and Mrs. H. Dalziel, Mrs. N. Smith, Mrs. Taverner, Mrs. E. Dalziel, the Misses Eleanor and Kathleen Dalziel, Helena Taverner, Maisie Smith, and Messrs. John Hoiness, Roy Smith, J. Randolph, Harold Shay, Bert Floyd, and many others.

Valentine Dance

Miss Edna Bradshaw was hostess Wednesday evening at her home, 1150 Empress Avenue, at a very delightful Valentine dance. The rooms were beautifully decorated with red and white and hearts. During the evening a delicious buffet supper was served. Those present were: Miss L. Craig, Miss H. Schofield, Miss R. Hume, Miss O. Duncan, Misses Murray, Miss E. Bradshaw, Miss F. Bradshaw, Miss C. Bradshaw, Mr. Muston, Mr. E. Hawkins, Mr. I. Mayhew, Mr. B. Murray, Mr. W. Lind, Mr. P. Richards, Mr. H. Duncan.

Valentine Tea

The tuberculosis committee of the Victoria Women's Institute will hold a tea in their rooms, Surrey Block, Yates Street, on Saturday, February 14, from 2:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m., when they hope all friends and everyone interested will avail themselves of the opportunity of helping in this good work. All will be assured of an excellent cup of tea, accompanied by home-made edibles, at a very nominal charge. There will also be teacup reading and fortune telling, and a stall of home cooking.

Bridge and Mah Jong Hostess

Mrs. E. G. Prior, St. Charles Street, entertained on Wednesday afternoon and evening with bridge and mah jong, her guests being Mrs. C. E. Pooley, Mrs. R. P. Rithet, Mrs. Peters, Mrs. Joseph Hunter, Mrs. Hermann Robertson, Mrs. Boyd, Mrs. Macan, Mrs. W. Todd, Mrs. J. A. Rithet, Mrs. Cator, Mrs. A. T. Goward, Mrs. Twigg, Mrs. Johnston, Mrs. Lampman, Mrs. Harold Robertson, the Misses McLimont, Mrs. Thomas and Mrs. Bowser.

Entertains at Tea Hour

Mrs. Robert Brent Mosher entertained at the tea hour Wednesday afternoon, at the Alexandra House. Mrs. Mosher's guests were Mrs. John Oliver, Mrs. W. G. Wilson, Mrs. J. T. McDonald, Mrs. Richard Wallis, Mrs. G. H. Chisholm, Mrs. Matherson (Winnipeg).

Silver Tea

A Valentine silver tea will be held on Saturday at the home of Miss Mary Scott, 2128 Cowan Street, by the members of the Pollyanna Club of the Fairfield Sunday School. A musical programme has been arranged, and all friends are invited to attend.

Compliment Seattle Visitor

Miss Inez Bodwell entertained at her home on Rockland Avenue, Wednesday afternoon, with mah jong, complimentary to Miss Chamberlain, of Seattle, who is the guest of Mrs. C. F. Armstrong, York Place, Oak Bay.

From Ottawa

Mr. D'Arcy Scott, of Ottawa, who has been touring the West, spent Wednesday in Victoria, the guest of his sister, Mrs. E. H. Fletcher, Carberry Gardens.

Returned Home

Mrs. Archer Martin returned home yesterday from Los Angeles where she has been visiting her son, Mr. D'Arcy Martin and his family for several months.

Returns to City

Mrs. Thornton Fell has returned to her home "Foreen," Foul Bay Road, after spending the last few weeks in Vancouver with friends.

Return to Tacoma

After spending the week-end in the city, guests at the Empress Hotel, Dr. and Mrs. Carl Ohnesorg left on Monday for their home in Tacoma.

Vancouver Visitor

Major and Mrs. Selden Humphreys, "Westover," have as their guest for a week Mrs. Brougham, of Vancouver.

From Vernon

Miss Mary Doull, of Vernon, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Angus, Rockland Avenue.

TWO-PIECE FROCK OF GREY KASHA FOR SPRING

There is a decided vogue for two-piece dresses for sports and street wear. Consequently, there are several popular versions of the simple two-piece dress, but none more attractive than the model shown here.

There is a straight skirt, and over this a slip-on blouse which pulls down close about the hips. A feature of the blouse is seen in the set-on band, which ends at either side in front, where it is held down by a row of buttons. From these buttons extend narrow ties, terminating in a bow in front. The buttons are covered with black, as black and grey is one of the new color combinations.

This model would also be attractive in white kasha for sports wear.

PROBLEMS DISCUSSED BY PROPERTY OWNERS

Duncan Association Will Have Executive Interview Council on Light and Water Questions

DUNCAN, Feb. 12.—A meeting of the Duncan Property Owners' Protective Association was held here last night, for the purpose of receiving a report from the provisional committee appointed some weeks ago, and to adopt a set of by-laws to govern the association.

The permanent committee, which will hold office until December 1, next, is as follows: Messrs. D. R. Hattie, K. F. Duncan, O. C. Brown, F. H. Price, G. H. Savage, A. J. Brownsey, H. F. Prevost, W. L. B. Young, C. Bazett and Mrs. J. L. Hird. The president, vice-president and secretary will be appointed by the committee.

Most of the time of the meeting was taken up in discussing light and water problems. Ald. Evans dealt with the first subject very fully, and answered many questions regarding the city's plans for installing a new power unit, and the proposed extension into North Cowichan.

Alderman Whittington dealt at length with the water question. He advocated putting the old system in shape, and using the new system as an auxiliary only. This would involve the building of a new dam of concrete just below the present dam on Skinner Creek, and the renewal and diversion of the pipeline to the city. This source of supply was condemned three years ago, before the new system from the river was installed.

The executive has been asked to interview the Council on both the light and water questions, and to lay their findings before another meeting of the association.

WEDDINGS

Kenmuir-Reid

NANAIMO, Feb. 12.—A very pretty marriage ceremony was performed by the Rev. David Lister, at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church at 11:30 Wednesday morning, when Miss Julie Reid, daughter of Mrs. Thomas Reid, Manning Street, became the bride of Mr. Wallace Kenmuir, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Kenmuir, Shepherd Avenue. The bride entered the church on the arm of her brother-in-law, Mr. Robert Temple, to the strains of the wedding march played by Mr. Nelson. She was attired in a pretty dress of Marlborough duchesse satin, with an overskirt of gold-embroidered Brussels net, which was caught up at the side by a cluster of peach silk roses. The hat was of peach brocaded satin, and her bouquet was of white carnations and Freesias and fern. The bridesmaid, Miss Kate Temple, wore a pretty costume of almond green crepe de Chine, with a side panel of gold lace and frills, with hat to match, and carried pink and white carnations. The groom was accompanied by his brother, Mr. John Kenmuir. Following the ceremony a wedding luncheon was served at the home of the bride's mother, the couple leaving later for Victoria and Sound cities, where the honeymoon is being spent.

Robertson-Peirce

At a pretty wedding solemnized by Rev. Carroll at Cedar Hill Church on Wednesday evening, the principals were Miss Hazel Mary Peirce, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Peirce, of Lake Hill, and Mr. Malcolm S. Robertson, of Rivers Inlet, son of Mr. William Robertson, of Vancouver. The bride wore a very becoming costume of pearl grey French cloth and cream lace, sprigged with real orange blossom sent by a brother in Pasadena. The bridal bouquet was of roses and carnations. Miss Phyllis Norton, the bridesmaid, wore a dress of navy blue broadcloth and carried a bouquet of pink carnations. The best man was Mr. Earl Peirce. There was appropriate wedding music, the choir being present and leading in the singing of two hymns, "O Perfect Love" and "Lead Us, Heavenly Father." Miss Mildenhall, at the organ, played the "Bridal Chorus." Following the ceremony at the church there was a reception at the home of the bride's parents, her mother wearing a very handsome blue faille costume. Among the many beautiful presents was a quilt made and presented by the Lake Hill Women's Institute, which the bride had represented as their queen at last year's carnival.

Why Have Dull Time With Press Ball On?

Why spend a dull evening reading seed catalogues and henfood circulars when there is such sizzling excitement as a press ball in progress?

The jaded two-dimension members of the fourth estate are taking their annual night off this evening to celebrate St. Valentine's advent, and they earnestly hope that everybody in Victoria who "shakes a leg" will at least try to get into the Empress ballroom to enjoy the occasion with them.

Two previous parties of like kind have well-nigh exhausted the resources of the reportorial grey matter in the matter of novelties, but a few more have been squeezed forth under the pressure of the knowledge of a grand tradition, and there will be surprises in the stunts, in the decorations, and—if anyone has the good chance to hear it—in the conversations. It is expected that everyone will be too busy keeping time to the music.

The ballroom, writing-room, palmroom and dining-room have all been requisitioned for the evening, and two orchestras, under Professor Hunt's direction, have been engaged to supply the music. Tickets, which include admission to the supper-room also, may be purchased from any members of the Press Club, or through The Colonist and Times business offices.

Following is the programme:
Fox trot—"Dear One."
Waltz—"I Wonder What's Become of Sally."
Fox trot—"Eliza."
Fox trot—"In a Rendezvous With You."
One step—"Oh, Mabel."
Waltz—"When the Shadows Fall."
Fox trot—"I Wonder."
Fox trot—"Oh, Peter."
Waltz—"Bygones."
Fox trot—"Me and My Boy Friend."
Waltz—"The Pal That I Loved."
Fox trot—"Too Tired."
Death of Hoodooism—"Hinkey, Dinkey, Parley Voo."
Waltz—"All Alone."
Fox trot—"China Girl."
One step—"Tessie, Stop Teasing Me."
Fox trot—"Doo-Wacka-Doo."
Waltz—"Honest and Trudy."
Fox trot—"Somebody Loves Me."
Waltz—"Moonlight Memories."
Fox trot—"Big Boy."
Waltz—"Rock-a-Bye, My Baby Blues."

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South Vancouver to Oppose Beer Licences

SOUTH VANCOUVER, Feb. 12.—The police commission has gone on record as absolutely opposed to the granting of any beer by the glass licences in South Vancouver and instructed the clerk to so notify the Attorney-General and the liquor control commissioner. The clerk was also requested to direct the attention of the authorities to an application for "The Rest," a building on Marine Drive, now under construction, which, although in Burnaby provincial riding, would be under the supervision of South Vancouver police. South Vancouver, as a provincial riding, voted against beer by the glass.

The Carnation Club

By COL. HENRY CURTISS

Author of "Blake of the R.F.C.": "Love and the Law."

The story thus far: At the time when London society is very much alarmed by the daring escapades of a woman burglar, Sir Roland Merritt meets at the Carnation Club, London's most brilliant night club, a beautiful but mysterious girl, Estella, who, to his surprise, appears on very intimate terms with a coarse looking Jewish bookmaker. Merritt inquires about the girl from his friend, Lord Leopold Branter, but only receives an evasive reply. It is the wish of Lady Alicia Merritt that her son shall marry Mona Harcourt, grand-daughter of the Duchess of Longshire, and a distant relation. Branter is perturbed when he hears of this and wonders "What the devil is going to happen now?" Roland is introduced to Mona at the house of the Duchess, and during the stay mention is made of the woman burglar's latest enterprise—a great haul of jewels and the murder of a butler. At this Mona goes a deadly white and is overcome by emotion. Roland suddenly inquires of Branter, "Where have I seen that girl before?" Dashwood, a barrister friend of Merritt's, being invited to a party given by the beautiful Estella, persuades Roland to go with him. In the entrance hall they meet Branter, who endeavors to persuade Roland to leave, telling him that if he goes upstairs he is going into great danger. To achieve his object Branter has to resort to drugging Merritt. Just as he comes round in his own bed at home the butler rushes in and tells him that the Duchess of Longshire has been murdered by the woman burglar and all the family jewels stolen. Roland is shown over the criminal museum at Scotland Yard by Borrodaile, a friend of Dashwoods, and and officer in the C.I.D. He is shown the photograph the police have luckily obtained of the woman burglar, and at the sight of this he almost collapses. He says nothing, however. While Roland is visiting Grosvenor Square, Borrodaile calls and demands a private interview with Mona. Mona is asked about her movements on June 24, and Branter says he himself drove her to Brighton, where they had lunch. Roland knows this to be untrue, because he saw Mona in Bond Street at that time. Mona tells her guardian there is a secret between Branter and herself which she cannot divulge. The police raid the flat of Madame Zempster, where on a previous occasion Roland has seen Estella and Branter go together. A golf club, bearing Branter's name, is discovered, and in its handle are jewels from the Duchess of Longshire's robbery. Madame herself escapes dressed as a man and carrying a bag of golf clubs. Captain Rigby, Estella's friend, to save his own skin, decides to help Borrodaile. Meanwhile another burglary at Harcourt Castle, where Mona has been staying, is carried out by the woman burglar. Estella asks Rigby to meet her at the Carnation Club. Rigby reports this and Borrodaile prepares to act.

CHAPTER LIV

The Trump Card Is Played

The Chief Commissioner passed an anxious time during the days which intervened before the Thursday on which the fancy dress ball was to take place, and Borrodaile's position was far from an enviable one.

"At one stroke," remarked the Commissioner, "I trust to restore the reputation of this Department in the eyes of the public. To be outwitted in a most flagrant manner by a girl is bad enough, but to be made sport of as well is far worse. No, Borrodaile," he emphasized, "we must make sure this time, no hocussing with hat pins, no masquerading as a pilot with a scar on his chin. Once she is arrested she must be handcuffed and chained to a police officer. Why, in case of need I would be chained to her myself, and I don't suppose you would object if it were a question of necessity?"

Borrodaile looked dubious but did not answer. He had his doubts whether the Commissioner had reason to be so full of hope.

However, the plan was kept as an inviolable secret between Borrodaile and his Chief, and some considerable comment was made in the "Yard," when certain plain clothes officers were warned for special duty on the following Thursday, without being informed of the reason of it.

So well was the secret kept that when the men were paraded at half-past nine on the following Thursday, it could be said with certainty that not one of them knew what he was wanted for. Then the Commissioner, who with Borrodaile was in evening dress, took command of the situation and addressed them:

"This Department for some months past has suffered a slur on account of its failure to arrest the woman who has been committing a series of burglaries and cold-blooded murders. It rests with you men tonight to retrieve our good name."

This announcement caused a stir of excitement among the detectives.

The Commissioner then very carefully gave each man his orders, and placed them as regards the exterior of the club under Inspector Manning. The specially selected men in evening dress who were to keep observation within the club were under his own personal command.

So all being ready, the men dispersed to their various posts and the Commissioner with Borrodaile got into his car. The detectives in evening dress who had the appearance of ordinary gentlemen (and in most cases were) had either been made members or honorary members of the club. No expense had been spared by the Commissioner to bring his scheme to a successful issue.

"In my opinion," remarked the Chief to Borrodaile confidently as they drove away in the car, "if the woman burglar enters the club tonight, she will meet her Waterloo!"

Borrodaile smiled in the dark corner of the car at the Commissioner's simile, but he himself was beginning to feel a keen interest in the result of the enterprise.

The car stopped, and the Commissioner and Borrodaile entered the club with the air of habitues.

"I have seen the manager," said the Chief as they passed along to the cloak room, "and everything is arranged. He is not aware of my official position, but puts me down, I think as just a sporting man who wants to have a bit of fun."

"And the announcement of the prize is to be made at midnight?" Borrodaile asked.

"Exactly at midnight," was the reply.

The Commissioner and Borrodaile separated as it had been arranged and the latter watched the crowd of dancers in the big room.

"Is she really here?" he asked himself. "Which is her costume?"

He watched girls in every conceivable fancy dress, from the pre-historic girl to Marie Antoinette twirling to the metallic jingle of the jazz band; most of them wore masks, but even without them it would have been difficult to recognize personalities. There were dozens of the height of the girl he expected to see, but none he admitted in his own heart, with her grace.

No, as far as he could see, she was not there.

Then, an awful thought struck him. If she saw him there and recognised him, would she not at once suspect a trap. But then he remembered that every exit was closed, and she could not get out.

He moved about among the throng, rubbing elbows at times with the Scotland Yard agents, but never recognizing them, as had been agreed. Some were dancing.

He was standing in a corner watching the crowd when he heard a voice as it seemed close to his ear.

"Go home, Borrodaile, you are doing no good here."

He turned quickly, but the corner behind him was empty; a couple were waltzing away from it, but were immediately lost in the crowd. Before they disappeared he noticed that the man was wearing the glittering dress of a harlequin with a mask, and the girl wore that of a vivandiere of the early Napoleonic period with a white wig, three-cornered gold-bound hat and a black mask.

Borrodaile looked at his watch; it was only just eleven o'clock. There was a full hour to wait before the announcement of the prize for the best lady's dress.

"How," he asked himself, "was he to pass that time?"

He attempted a search for the harlequin and the vivandiere, but he was unsuccessful.

"That was somebody who knew me," he argued with himself, "but who it was I cannot for the life of me tell."

Dinner being long past, and feeling hungry, Borrodaile thought he would have supper; he went off to the room where the popping of corks and the rattle of plates announced that meal was being served.

Not knowing when he would next get the opportunity of refreshment—for his duties promised to last all night—he selected an appetising little meal: oysters, a Welsh rarebit, and a pint of the "Widow" clicquot.

It was a lonely meal, but still there was much to amuse him. He had scarcely sat at the table five minutes when the harlequin and the vivandiere, for whom he had been searching, entered and went to a table at the farther end of the room. He watched them with the greatest interest as he ate. Their meal was but a slight one, for it was soon over, and he noted with disappointment that they did not remove their masks.

Presently to his surprise, long before he had finished his own supper, they rose and came towards him, evidently making for the door near which he sat. They passed him without a look, walking arm-in-arm, and went through the door. Then hearing a stealthy step behind him, he turned; the harlequin was returning alone. He came and leaned over Borrodaile's chair, and then in a low voice which seemed familiar, said:

"Leave here at once; your life is not worth a moment's purchase."

Borrodaile sprang to his feet, but the harlequin had skipped away and was through the door and away into the dancing room before he could follow him.

"Whose voice was that?" he asked himself, "a voice as familiar as my own."

He finished his meal and went out into the hall, thinking he would find his Chief and tell him of the incident of the harlequin.

As he crossed the hall the big front door opened and he saw through it a very smart private limousine draw up to the door. A footman got down from the box, opened the door and stood waiting for a lady to alight. To his astonishment, Borrodaile saw that the lady about to leave the car was dressed exactly like the vivandiere he had seen with the harlequin. The dress, the white wig, the gold-bound three-cornered hat were the same. Could it be the same person? But the vivandiere did not leave the car; she was talking energetically to the footman, apparently very much annoyed that he had stopped at the wrong address.

"This is the wrong house," he distinctly heard her say in a loud voice. The footman closed the door, mounted to his seat, and the car moved on.

At the same moment Borrodaile turned and found the harlequin standing just behind him and calmly contemplating him.

"Why did you speak to me just now" Borrodaile asked.

"I wanted to do you a good turn," was the reply, "but the danger is past for the moment."

The harlequin pointed to where the car had stood.

"What danger?" he said. "I don't understand you at all," Borrodaile replied. "Who are you?"

The harlequin made a kind of mock salaam with both hands, bowed, and disappeared in the direction of the dancing room.

Borrodaile now determined to seek his Chief and communicate to him what he had seen and heard.

He found the Commissioner at last, in earnest conversation with the manager of the club in the latter's private room.

"Come in," he said when he saw Borrodaile, "you are just the man I am looking for. Mr. Borrodaile, a friend of mine," he said, introducing him to the manager.

"Now you are here, Borrodaile," continued the Commissioner, "you had better come on the committee to judge the ladies' dresses."

Borrodaile laughed, and the manager joined him heartily.

"I'm afraid I'm not much of a judge of ladies' dresses," Borrodaile answered, "but I will do my best."

Finally the room in which the committee was to sit was selected and arranged by the club servants and all was ready.

"It is now ten minutes to twelve," announced the Commissioner, watch in hand, "and I think the announcement of the prize had better be made in the dancing room."

It was settled that the manager should make the announcement, and the committee await the result in their room.

Before entering the room, Borrodaile took the Chief aside and told him what he had seen and heard with regard to the harlequin and the lady dressed as a vivandiere.

"I hope the men keeping observation at the door followed that car," the Commissioner answered, "and that they were not misled by what might have been a mere ruse. But at any rate we have got business here to attend to, and we must get on with it."

A sound of cheers and applause came from the dancing room; the announcement of the prize had been made. Then the committee, consisting of the Commissioner, Borrodaile and two other gentlemen, well-known members of the club, and two of the detectives in evening dress, took their seats and the proceedings began.

The lady dancers, laughing and full of fun, and in most cases accompanied by their partners, came trooping into the committee room, eager to be judged, and each removing her mask as she stood before the judges' table. Many a pretty face did the Commissioner gaze upon in that joyous crowd, but not the one he sought for. The stream of pretty girls continued for nearly half an hour, the members of the committee—especially the detectives—diligently taking notes with a view to recording their votes for the best dress.

At last the stream of girls was thinning down, and the Commissioner was looking anxious. There were only two left to show their dresses and unmask, and yet no discovery had been made. It was only when the last of the girls had unmasked that a diversion came. There was a sound of laughter in the corridor and the rush of feet. Presently the door was burst open and a crowd of laughing girls and men rushed in, the former pushing among them a girl in a vivandiere's dress. She was closely followed by a harlequin who was vigorously protesting.

"You must not treat a lady like this who has merely come here as a spectator!" he cried.

He tried to get the vivandiere away from them, but they only closed round her more and defied him.

"Spectator!" cried one of the girls. "Why I have seen her dancing with you, harlequin, all the evening."

Then the speaker turned to the Commissioner:

"We found these two sitting out in a dark corner," she said, "and we have brought her here to have her dress judged and to unmask. Unmask, please," continued the girl, turning to the vivandiere.

This request not being complied with, in a moment she seized the mask and tore it from the vivandiere's face, which was most agitated.

The Commissioner glanced earnestly at her, then at a photograph which till then had lain covered by a sheet of paper on the desk before him.

He sprang to his feet.

"Arrest that woman!" he cried.

Although still held by the girls, the two detectives darted forward and gripped the vivandiere firmly by the dress.

But they had hardly touched her when the harlequin stepped forward, unmasked, and disclosed the features of Lord Leopold Branter.

"I have a word to say here," he remarked very coolly; "clear the room."

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The Etiquette of Gossip

Do You Speak Good of Others?

By JULIA HOYT

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I think if I were asked what trait in a person I disliked the most I should say, I believe—gossip, or rather, the mentality and temperament that gossiping exemplifies. I believe that somebody once said that it was easier for a murderer to get into heaven than a cad. Whether this is true or not, I do believe that many supposedly worse people are, and do, much less evil than the gossip and scandalmonger.

There is the almost harmless gossip which is entirely about really unimportant things—originally, that is, but which often becomes bit by bit distorted and, eventually, made important. There is gossip which is, in reality, repetition of scandal and usually not founded on facts. But even the stories founded on facts are gossip, and to be looked on with contempt.

I never go to "lunch parties" if I can help it, but the other day, through a mistake, I went to one. Individually, many of the women there seemed pleasant, intelligent women; collectively they were impossible. From the beginning to the end of lunch nothing was discussed but personalities. I am sure these women would have been surprised had they been told that they had done nothing but gossip, yet it was true. And oh, how dull and boring it was—what a waste of time!

The person who gossips definitely confesses two things: lack of intelligence and an uninteresting life. One must be bored with life, indeed, sadly lacking in self-sufficiency, to be interested either in petty or important gossip or scandal about others. One must be lacking in one of the greatest qualities in human nature—kindness—to be willing to remember and repeat such things.

People differ in their prejudices, even in their standards. I might believe certain things to be wrong that the next person would not so consider. None of us have to approve or agree or compromise when it comes to our opinions unless we wish to. But neither do we have to try and force those opinions or disapprovals on others by repeating mean gossip or even telling the facts that may have influenced us in our judgment.

Gossip is like a cancer; it spreads and spreads and there is no limit to it. Although the actual piece of gossip may be forgotten, somewhere, in some little corner of our mind there has been left an impression. Later something may happen in connection with the subject of the gossip, to which we would not ordinarily have given a thought. That forgotten impression jumps up, however, and we find ourselves paying an absurd attention to this last happening, whatever it may be. The actual story may not count with us or even be remembered, but owing to some lightly said malicious piece of gossip, an impression may be made (whether we wanted to receive it or not) that may take a long time to overcome, or may never be overcome.

The etiquette of gossiping calls for speaking only good of persons!

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NEWS OF THE SPORTING WORLD

Lancashire Is Getting Fair Share of Soccer

Five of Eleven First Division League Games in That County on Saturday—Local Rivalry Should Make Keen Contests—Aston Villa Has Hard Work Ahead—Good List of Third Division Fixtures in the South

By A. B. BROWN

THERE are eleven First Division English League games on the soccer programme for this week-end, and no fewer than five of the events are scheduled for Lancashire. This is, indeed, a large proportion for one shire, but the County Palatine, with its immense population, can safely take charge of the matches on hand. In two of the games, local rivalry will be specially keen—namely, the tussle between Manchester City and Blackburn Rovers, and the contest at Deepdale, where Preston North End tackle Bolton Wanderers.

Chance for a Come-Back

The affair at Preston will develop into a struggle between one team striving for the championship (Bolton) and a side practically doomed to relegation. When the clubs met in October the Wanderers won, 6-1, Preston, therefore, has a big chance to stage a come-back against their neighbors.

When Manchester City visited Blackburn earlier in the season the Rovers beat the Citizens 3-0, but this result will probably be reversed on Saturday.

Merseyside Clubs' Big Day

The two Merseyside teams have important events to carry through Saturday. Liverpool is at home to Newcastle, and this should be one of the best games of the day.

Both teams are capable of serving up first-rate football. Liverpool, indeed, has advanced in a marked degree of late. A no-scoring draw was the outcome of their last meeting at Newcastle.

Everton has once more to tackle Sunderland. The other day the first-named won the replay in a cup game, so that Sunderland will be anxious to wipe out that result. The former league game between the clubs resulted 3-0 for Sunderland at Liverpool.

Leading Teams Travel

The clubs more directly interested in the championship race are travelers this week. West Bromwich is due at Leeds, and will probably survive their trip. The United is none too well placed on the table, while the club has just come through a crisis that almost meant their extinction. The Albion won the first game 3-1.

Big Affair at Brum

For the next two Saturdays, Aston Villa will be up against their nearby neighbors. First of all, they meet Birmingham in a league game, while a week later West Bromwich will be tackled in the Cup. Both games will test the Villa to the utmost, although the team may have little interest in the league result. Early in the season Birmingham beat the Villa 1-0.

Huddersfield in London

Every game is of the utmost importance to Huddersfield. The club is keen on retaining the league title, but there are others in the hunt. Saturday will find the Yorkshire side in London, where they meet the Arsenal. Points are hard to obtain at Highbury, and Huddersfield probably know this. A 4-0 win for the West Riding club was the outcome of the previous game.

Notts Forest beat Sheffield United 2-1 at Bramall Lane, but will they repeat the performance Saturday? Well, it is touch and go with the old "Reds" regarding their position in the First Division.

The County may at least draw at Cardiff, while Burnley should give the Hotspurs a good game at White Hart Lane.

First Division Schedule

The First Division matches for Saturday follow:

Arsenal vs. Huddersfield.
Aston Villa vs. Birmingham.
Burnley vs. Tottenham.
Bury vs. West Ham United.
Cardiff City vs. Notts County.
Leeds United vs. West Bromwich.
Liverpool vs. Newcastle United.
Manchester City vs. Blackburn Rovers.
Notts Forest vs. Sheffield United.
Preston North End vs. Bolton W.
Sunderland vs. Everton.

Second Division Events

Derby County is due at Hanley to meet Port Vale, where Manchester United was beaten the other day. The County, however, should survive their visit to the Potteries, although the result will probably be close. Four to one was the verdict for the County when the teams met in October.

Manchester United has a big task on hand in meeting Crystal Palace in the Metropolis. A single goal separated the clubs when they met at Old Trafford.

Chelsea and Fulham are nearby rivals, and Craven Cottage ground should house a big crowd. No scoring was the result of the previous game at Stamford Bridge.

Leicester City is also on view in the Metropolis, where the strong-scoring team meet Clapton Orient.

The Card

The Second Division games are as follows:

Barnsley vs. Hull City.
Bradford City vs. South Shields.
Clapton Orient vs. Leicester City.
Crystal Palace vs. Manchester U.
Fulham vs. Chelsea.
Middlesbrough vs. Blackpool.
Oldham Athletics vs. Coventry City.
Port Vale vs. Derby County.
The Wednesday vs. Stoke.
Southampton vs. Stockport County.
Wolverhamptop W. vs. Portsmouth.

Busy Day in South

There is an exceptionally good list of games in the southern section of the Third Division. Swansea Town is scheduled to visit Watford, where points should go to the Welshmen. Newport County ought to reap full toll from Bristol Rovers at home.

Perhaps the best game on the card, however, will be that between Plymouth Argyle and Brighton. Both are good-going sides. Bristol City ought to win against Bournemouth, and Southend United is capable of pulling off the game against Exeter City.

Among the Scots

The big event in the Scottish League this week is the meeting of Falkirk and Rangers at Brockville. The teams are far apart on the league table, but this will not affect the keen rivalry that has always existed between the clubs. Former meetings have, as a rule, been of the strenuous order, with scoring close.

Last year the Rangers won at Falkirk 1-0, while the game at Ibrox resulted 2-2.

Airdrie will be at home to Aberdeen. Early in the season the Broomfield men won in the north and will probably do so again. Only a point separates Rangers and Airdrie in the league race.

The Programme

The First Division games for the day are:

Airdrieonians vs. Aberdeen.
St. Mirren vs. Ayr United.
Celtic vs. St. Johnstone.
Queen's Park vs. Cowdenbeath.
Dundee vs. Hamilton A.
Falkirk vs. Rangers.
Morton vs. Hearts.
Partick Thistle vs. Kilmarnock.
Raith Rovers vs. Motherwell.

Scotland Meets Wales

The Scots and Welsh soccer men open their international series at Edinburgh on Saturday. Last season the Welshmen won the championship with wins over Scotland (2-0), England (2-1) and Ireland (1-0).

It was a great year for the principality, and the national officials carried through their programme with only twelve players—a feat unknown in previous years of international football.

England and Ireland have already opened their account, as the countries met at Liverpool, October 22, when England won 3-1.

Scotland has won 29 games over Wales; the Welshmen have 6 victories; there have been 9 draws. Goals: For Scotland, 134; Wales, 42.

Dramatic Exits From Cup

"Dramatic," perhaps, best describes the dismissal of Bolton Wanderers, Newcastle United and Sunderland last week from the English F. A. Cup competition in the replayed ties.

Before the original games were played it was big odds on each of the three ultimately defeating their opponents—Tottenham Hotspur, Leicester City and Everton.

It was a severe blow on the cup winners of a year ago, at all events, to fall out in the second round at Leicester.

Curiously enough, Bolton Wanderers had a similar experience on their own ground two years ago. It was the year following their cup final victory, and Liverpool swooped down on Burnden Park and beat the Wanderers in the third round by 4-1. That was one of the most staggering results of the season.

Sunderland's Failure

The failure of Sunderland in the English Cup competition has been one of the mysteries of first-class football. Year after year the team has started out as likely candidates for the honor, but the best that has been credited to the club is one appearance in the final, and a defeat by Aston Villa, 1-0, in 1920.

The past three seasons have been poor cup periods for the club. Two years ago West Bromwich beat the Northeastern men 2-1 in the second round. A year ago Oldham Athletic defeated the men from Roker 2-1; while in this year's second stage Everton were victors 2-1.

And yet Sunderland has won the league championship on five occasions and runners-up at least four times.

"The Team of All the Talents," however, has never had the talent to shine in the cup ties.

Leading Goal Scorer

Manchester City leads as the highest goal-scoring side in the First Division of the English League. It is perfectly natural, therefore, that the best individual performer should belong to that club.

Frank Roberts, the City's centre forward, leads the field with 24 goals in league games alone. In a recent game against Liverpool, he shot four in succession.

Roberts previously played for Bolton Wanderers, but left that club because the officials objected to their player having any connection with a public-house. Other clubs have similar rules governing their players.

Mitchell Longest Swatter of All

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 12.—Abe Mitchell, of England, averaging 307 yards on the three drives down the fifth fairway of the municipal course, his longest 312 yards, won the driving contest in the first official competition of the Texas open golf championship tournament today from a field of half a hundred of the hardest hitters in the game.

ENGLISHMEN PLAY IRISH TOMORROW

INTERNATIONAL RUGBY MATCH OF SPECIAL INTEREST

Will Be Semi-Centennial of These Events—England Has Wide Margin of Victories

LONDON, Feb. 12.—Twickenham, the ground of the English Rugby Union, will be the scene of the forty-fourth international match on Saturday between England and Ireland, and will be the fifth game for the current season. Incidentally, this game will mark the semi-centennial of international rugby contests between these two countries, the series having begun in 1875. Up to the present, England has had a wide margin of victories, winning 29 of the 42 games played; Ireland has carried off 13, and two have been drawn.

For the 1925 honors, both England and Ireland are evenly matched, so much so that their respective records run parallel even to the point of scoring averages.

England have to their credit a victory over Wales by six points, and against that Ireland can place their win over France by exactly the same number of points.

The next international game will be played at Dublin February 28, when Ireland entertains Scotland.

CITY BASKETBALL

Tonight's Games Postponed on Account of Press Ball—Last Night's Results

Two basketball games only were played last night at the Willows, as the Navy defaulted their match to the Y.M.C.A. In the "B" ladies' class the Hudson's Bay team defeated the James Bay players by 8 to 5. The score at half-time was 6 to 2. It was a good game, with plenty of hard checking throughout.

In the "B" men's class the C.P.S. had an easy time of it, defeating the Sons of England by 54 to 2. The first game was refereed by Art Hole and the second by Bert Nex.

All games for tonight are called off on account of the Press Club ball.

Sportive Punches

—By the "Old 'Un"—

If professional heavyweight wrestling is really as brutal as the accounts of some recent matches would make it appear, it is a wonder that it should be allowed in any civilized community.

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First we read that MR. ED LEWIS, the gentleman with the pleasant sobriquet of "Strangler," is lifted bodily and thrown onto the floor outside the ring, and injured so badly that he has to go to hospital for some days.

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The inference being, of course, that MR. WAYNE MUNN, who as yet has earned no more terrifying nickname than that of "Big," tossed the said Lewis out of the ring in order that he might more surely injure him and put him out of business.

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Really, for brutality, cock-fighting and bear-baiting, and other sports now regarded as inhumane by most decent folks, are mild compared with heavyweight wrestling.

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But after a few days the injured hero, who failed for once to strangle his opponent, possibly according to schedule, comes out of the hospital and has a little set-to on the mat with one JOE ZICKMUND.

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And, according to the story sent out from Chicago, where they stage these things, poor Mister Lewis gets very badly chewed up indeed this time.

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Yes, chewed up seems to be quite the right expression to use on this occasion, for Joe (just plain Joe, he has no nickname at all apparently at present, but may possibly be called The Chewer after this), not only pitches him over the ropes once more, but this only as the final act after Lewis had been "struck, bitten and kicked."

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Wonder what would have happened to the referee had he interfered while the biting was going on. And isn't biting a criminal offence in the United States?

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Poor old Strangler will be rather the worse for wear if he indulges in many more bouts. This time we are told that "his back is lacerated badly and it is feared some of his ribs are cracked."

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But, perhaps, after all, it was not so bad as it sounds, and such accounts are written mainly to satisfy the appetite of those who still take a delight in brutality.

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To turn to a milder sport, the gentle occupation of prizefighting, how the titleholder must smile to think how easily and painlessly he gets his while Lewis & Co. are getting chewed and cracked and generally used up.

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Our old friend, JACK DEMPSEY, having declared that there would be no more fighting for him (ie the ring) once he got married again, is now said to be asking the mere pittance of one million one hundred thousand dollars for a couple of fights with a couple of men whom he can lick easily if he has to

CALGARY TIGERS HERE TOMORROW

Victoria Cougars Will Be Opposed at Willows Arena by Tribe Piloted by Eddie Oatman Himself

LOCAL CLAN FIGURES ON TRIMMING GUESTS

Win for Home Team Would Practically Assure Place in Play-Off—Calgary Is Hot Contender

LESTER Patrick's Cougars are sitting pretty in a pretty little city, and if they have recovered definitely from the slump in which they found themselves then the other teams in the Western Canada Hockey League had better watch out. No foolin', either. Victoria is on the march to Pennantville and believe this year the gonfalon is coming to British Columbia's Capital City. Here's hoping!

Yes, Eddie Oatman, former skipper of the local tribe, will be in town tomorrow with his pack of Tigers from the city of Calgary, and the invaders will be in action tomorrow night against the Cougars at the Willows ice palace. The time of the tussle is set from 9 o'clock.

Both teams want and really need the game. Both will fight valiantly for victory. It should be a great battle. The Cougers are right on top of the circuit, and hope to win their remaining four games. Three of these contests will be played on the Victoria pond, so their chances of at least winning half their games should be exceedingly good. Hockey, however, is very uncertain and, as in other games, no victory is won until the last minute of play has been concluded.

CULLY WILSON

One of the crack puckchasers on the Calgary Tigers' hockey machine, who will be out with his comrades at the Willows Arena tomorrow night. Cully formerly performed with the Seattle Metropolitans, and was given the title of "bad man of the league," owing to his frequent trips to the penalty box. He is a regular top notcher on the offensive, and, together with Oliver and Crawford, hopes to give Happy Holmes a hot time tomorrow evening.

The Calgary tribe are right on the heels of Lester Patrick's men. Victoria possesses 26 points; Calgary comes next with 24, then Edmonton and Saskatoon are tied with 23, and Vancouver possesses 22. Regina is on the bottom, with only 16 points to their credit. Therefore, the game here tomorrow night is a most important fixture, which each team is determined to capture.

Final Appearance of Tigers

Tomorrow night's game will make the final appearance here of the Calgary team this season. On the occasion of Calgary's last visit in this city the Cougars handed their guests a nice trimming to the tune of five goals to one. Calgary wants to reverse this score tomorrow, but the Cougars will likely have a great deal to say about that proposal before the smoke of the conflict has died away.

The Cougars, after dropping three tough contests on the prairies, invaded Regina on Wednesday night and trounced the home club by a 6-3 score. The Victoria men played splendidly, the old-time form predominating, and Frank Fredrickson going in rapid-fire style. Local fans believe that their pets can turn the trick tomorrow evening, stop the rush of the Calgary outfit towards the league honors and climb themselves into within grasp of a place in the play-off. It should be one of the most brilliant competitions of the year.

Victoria has not played here during the past fortnight and there is sure to be a big crowd of rallbirds on hand to witness the teams in action, welcome back the Cougars and encourage them to trim their visitors. Tickets go on sale this morning at the hockey ticket office at Plimley & Ritchie's, 611 View Street, and it is expected that a big demand for pasteboards will be the result. Intending patrons should make application for tickets early.

Tilden Is a Winner In Early Rounds of Brooklyn Tourney

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Playing under wraps, and, in his own words, putting himself in condition for a year on the tennis courts, William T. Tilden II, national singles champion, today won his first and second round matches in the Brooklyn Heights Casino annual tournament with ease. Tilden defeated J. S. McCloy, of Brooklyn, in the second round, 6-2, 7-5, after his opponent had surprised the spectators by conquering Zenzo Shimizu, member of the Japanese Davis Cup team, 6-2, 6-1. Watson M. Washburn also was victorious in both rounds, defeating E. T. Herndon, of Brooklyn, 7-5, 6-0, and Louis D. Daley, Jr., of Brooklyn, 1-6, 6-1, 6-2.

NORMAN GRIMMET

The much-talked-of forward of the Vancouver Sons of Canada, who played a great game against the Victoria all-star team last night at the Willows ice palace. Grimmet's work on the attack and defence was superb, and was responsible for three of the visitors' counters.

BROWN CUP GAME MAY BE EXCITING

FIRST ROUND REPLAY BILLED FOR SATURDAY

Sons of England and United Services Will Meet Again at Royal Athletic Park

Local soccer fans should be treated to a good exhibition of football on Saturday, when the Sons of England and the United Services clash at the Royal Athletic Park, at 2:30 p.m., in a Brown Cup game. These teams met two weeks ago at Beacon Hill and, with thirty minutes of overtime play, failed to break a 4-4 tie.

Teams Evenly Matched

That the teams in Saturday's game are fairly evenly matched their previous records will show. In four games the Englishmen have won two and two have been drawn. The first game of the season went to the Sons by a 3-0 score; the second match was a 2-2 tie, the third a 2-1 win in favor of the Sons, while the last was a 4-4 draw.

Services Strengthened

When the United Services take the field on Saturday against the Sons of England, they will field the strongest team of the season. Whiting, well known to the followers of the mid-week league, has been transferred to the Service Club and will play inside left. This player, it will be remembered has been with the Tillicums Wednesday eleven, and his previous performances show him to be a good man. The remaining personnel of the team will be identically the same as that which lowered the colors of the league-leading Veterans on Saturday last.

Sons Are Good

The Sons of England are a snappy bunch of players, and what they lack in experience they make up in speed and aggressiveness. On Saturday they will be out in full strength in an endeavor to enter the second round of the Brown Cup.

The line-ups are announced as follows:

United Services—Weir; Grimes and Allen; Hawkes, Robinson and Whyte; Cummings, Ward, Coulter, Whiting and Cosier. Reserve, Cave.

Sons of England—To be selected from: Knox, Church, Campbell, Armitage, Harwood, Shanks, Swan, Drysborough, Connorton, Phillips, Minnis, Burns and Bridges.

MEDAL ROUND WON BY MISS HOLLINS

Defending Champion at Del Monte Goes Round Heavy Course in 83—Mrs. Hutchings Well Up

DEL MONTE, Cal., Feb. 13.—Playing a masterful game of golf over a course made heavy by recent heavy rains, Miss Marion Hollins, of New York, today turned in a card of 83 to lead the field in the qualifying round of the annual Pebble Beach championship for women. Miss Hollins, the defending champion and a former national women's champion, was out in 41.

Leading scores in today's play follow: Miss Marion Hollins, 83, vs. Mrs. W. C. Van Antwerp, 100; Mrs. H. G. Hutchings, Winnipeg, 93, vs. Mrs. C. Clay Cary, 104; Miss Dorothy Richards, 97, vs. Mrs. Ann Wolverton, 104; Miss Margaret Cameron, 88, vs. Miss Alice Hanchett, 102; Miss Louise Fordyce, 84, vs. Miss Florence Bodmen, 100; Mrs. Dorothy Hill, 97, vs. Mrs. Ted Haas, 104; Mrs. Frank Sheedy, 93, vs. Mrs. Brent Potter, 105; Miss Mary K. Browne, 92, vs. Mrs. Louise Lelangfeld, 102.

Willie Ritola Smashes Record for Two Miles

BUFFALO, N.Y., Feb. 12.—Finland's twin whirlwinds of the track handed time another jolt tonight, when Paavo Nurmi shattered three of his own world's indoor marks, bringing his amazing total to 22, while Willie Ritola slashed his countryman's two-mile standard to pieces in the greatest race ever run at this distance, indoor or outdoor.

Nurmi clipped from about seven to eleven seconds off his previous records. At the 2,000-yard post he was clocked in 4:52 3-5, as compared with the mark of 5:00 4-5 he set at the Brooklyn College games on January 24. At the 2,000-metre mark Nurmi's time was 5:22 2-5, as against the old standard of 5:23, set at the Fordham A.A. games, New York, on January 17, while at the finish the Finn's new mark was 8:32 4-5, as compared with his former time of 8:50 1-5, made at the Millrose A.A. carnival in New York, January 24.

Shortly after Nurmi's great race, Willie Ritola, Finnish-American star, sped to victory in a two-mile race, in which he shattered Paavo's record for the distance, made last Saturday at the Wilco A.A. games in Brooklyn, by 4 1-5 seconds. Ritola was timed in 9:02 4-5, the fastest two miles ever run either indoors or outdoors.

Vancouver Proves Too Strong for Victoria

Sons of Canada Catch Victoria All-Star Team on Off Night and Take First Game for Wilkerson Cup by Score of Seven to Two—Visitors Showed Splendid Work and Took Every Advantage

Vancouver, 7; Victoria, 2.

THE Vancouver Sons of Canada ice hockey team showed an almost clean pair of heels to the Victoria all-stars last night at the Willows ice palace, in the first intercity game for the Wilkerson Cup, and waltzed off the ice to the tune of seven goals to two. Although the score would indicate that the visitors had things much their own way, it was not the case. The home team had plenty of the play, but could not seem to get going until the final period. About 1,500 fans watched the performance.

With their win the Sons will take a big lead in the two-game series for the intercity championship. The matches, which were started last year, have created a great deal of interest, both here and on the Mainland, but it looks very much as if the cup will still rest in Vancouver. The total goals for the two games decides who will hold the trophy.

Locals Off Color

The visitors found the local aspirants for B.C. honors on a decidedly off night. For the first two periods they played rings around Victoria with their splendid three-man rushes and consistent combination work. Their stickhandling, back-checking and defensive work was sound, while McCulloch, in goal, proved a hard man to get the disc past.

In the final period the shoe was on the other foot. Victoria, from the start, commenced the combination work which has featured their practices, and had a big edge on the play. McCulloch's work between the nets during this period was brilliant, and he undoubtedly saved the locals from running in at least five goals.

Victoria Opens Weak

Victoria in the opening stages began the work which has always disrupted an all-star team. Several three-man rushes were spoilt by too much individual efforts. Time and again the locals had good openings at their mercy, but they could not part with the puck to a wing or centre man, with the result that only one goal was credited to them.

"NIPPER" BROOME

Midget forward of the Vancouver Sons of Canada team, who delighted the fans with his nifty stickhandling and clever tactics at the Arena last night. Broome was responsible for two of the Sons' goals, while he assisted in a third.

The defence of Victoria for the first two periods was very weak. The three-man rushes of the visitors seemed to paralyze them, and Stuart was given little covering. Four goals were slipped by in the opening frame, while three more were added in the second. Hewer opened the scoring, about eight minutes after play started, when he caught McCulloch off his guard with a long shot from outside the blue line. Goals from then on followed thick and fast, and in the space of seven minutes four counters were listed to the credit of the visitors, Grimmett getting two, while Chester and Broome added one. All of the counters were scored on splendid combination work on the part of the visiting squad.

Three more goals were added in the second. Sparling, who played a great game on the defence for the Sons, netted the opener when he took the puck from his defence, wormed his way through the Capitals and beat Harry Stuart with a close-in shot. Ten seconds after the face-off, Grimmett was credited with a soft goal when he caught Stuart off his guard and put in a long one.

A Pretty Play

Probably the prettiest play of the night on the part of the visitors was responsible for the third goal of this period. Broome, taking a pass from Murray after these two had beaten every man on the Victoria team, carried the puck into an open goal. Three times Burnett and Smith, two of the best men for the Capitals, worked their way through the Mainlanders, but McCulloch was right there and blocked them all. Minor penalties were much in evidence during this period.

In the final period individual work was dropped, while more attention was paid to combination. Time after time the locals broke through with rushes that looked like sure goals, but McCulloch played like he did with the Victoria "pro" team a few years ago, and turned in some marvelous plays.

The veteran Harry Smith, Tuckwell and Matthews went like a house on fire in this frame. Time after time they had McCulloch at their mercy, but they could not beat him. Burnett's and Wright's work improved a great deal also, and the covering provided Stuart was something like they are capable of showing.

Smith Gets One

A solo rush by Harry Smith ended the scoring for the night, when he took the puck from his end and eluded all opposition and found the corner of the net with a hot shot that had goal written all over it. Twice following this he got away and went through, but both shots were blocked.

For the visitors, McCulloch in goal was a big barrier; Chester and Sparling, on the defence, were sound, while Grimmett, Heric and Broome were the pick of the rest. Burnett, Tuckwell, Harry Smith and Matthews were the outstanding players on the Victoria line-up. Gienge refereed and the teams were as follows:

Vancouver		Victoria
Sons of Canada		
McCulloch	goal	Stuart
Sparling	defence	Copas
Chester	defence	Burnett
	defence	Wright
Sibbett	forward	Tuckwell
Heric	forward	Matthews
Grimmett	forward	H. Smith
Broome	forward	Hewer
Murray	forward	Kenny
Clarke	forward	Goodacre

Summary

First Period—Hewer, 8:35; Grimmett, 2:35; Chester, 2:25; Grimmett from Broome, 1:10; Broome from Sparling, :25.

Second Period — Sparling, 2:30; Grimmett, :10; Broome from Murray, 3:25.

Third Period—Smith 14:05.

Penalties

First Period—Sparling.

Second Period—Heric, Goodacre, Murray, Hewer, Grimmett.

Third Period—Matthews., Murray, Heric. All were minor.

Prior to the game the visiting team were the guests of the local branch of the Native Sons of Canada at a delightful banquet at the Dominion Hotel. Through the courtesy of the management of the St. James Hotel, the team was shown the sights of the city on a two-hour drive.

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Calgary	21	12	9	0	68	64	24
Edmonton	22	11	10	1	72	81	23
Saskatoon	23	11	9	1	70	81	23
Vancouver	23	11	12	0	82	88	22
Regina	23	8	14	0	65	86	16

Tonight's Game

Edmonton at Saskatoon.

Tomorrow's Match

Calgary at Victoria.

Balance of Games

Monday, Feb. 16—Calgary at Vancouver; Edmonton at Regina.

Wednesday, Feb. 18—Vancouver at Victoria; Regina at Calgary; Saskatoon at Edmonton.

Friday, Feb. 20—Calgary at Saskatoon.

Saturday, Feb. 21—Regina at Edmonton.

Monday, Feb. 23—Victoria at Vancouver; Edmonton at Calgary; Regina at Saskatoon.

Wednesday, Feb. 25—Saskatoon at Regina.

Friday, Feb. 27—Calgary at Edmonton.

Saturday, Feb. 28—Saskatoon at Victoria.

Monday, March 2—Saskatoon at Vancouver.

Wednesday, March 4—Saskatoon at Vancouver; Calgary at Regina.

Pope Leads Shooters in Kansas Tournament

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 12.—Jean Pope, East Moline, Ill., won the 150-target race by breaking 142 in the annual interstate trapshooting tournament here today. F. M. Troeh, of Portland, Ore., and Wm. Hoon, Jewell, Iowa, were second with 140; H. Mitchell, Forest City, Mo., and Mark Arie, Champaign, Ill., were third with 139.

SKI CHAMPIONSHIPS

CANTON, S.D., Feb. 12.—Alfred Orbn, forest preserve ski champion, today became national ski champion with two jumps of 146 feet at the national ski tournament.

Halver Bjorngard, Aurora Ski Club, Red Wing, Minn., won the Class B section with jumps of 138 and 137 feet.

Paavo Nurmi's Story

As Told by Him to Charles E. Parker

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This is the seventh of a series of articles on the remarkable athletic career of Paavo Nurmi the marvel of Finland. At ten years of age he ran 1,500 metres in five minutes and two seconds, and now is breaking world's records about every time he faces the starter. Generally recognized as the greatest runner of all time, the story of his athletic life reads like a romance.

CHAPTER VII

Setting the Pace With American Photographs

In Finland an Olympic year is a most important year. Every young man who believes he has any skill in any of the twenty-five or thirty events on the Olympic programme wants to make the Finnish team. The roads are choked with runners; as many as a dozen track meets are conducted in one enclosure on a Sunday.

The Olympic year of 1920 was no exception. Eight years had elapsed since Finland, by scoring six first places at Stockholm, had shown it must be reckoned with in Olympic competition. Only the United States had scored a greater number of first places in the 1912 games, and the United States had been blessed with limitless facilities, numberless expert coaches and ample funds and had sent to Stockholm a team many times the size of the Finnish delegation. Finland's 1912 showing had been made without benefit of up-to-date athletic fields or equipment and with no paid instructors to teach her athletes the form and fine technique of the various Olympic events. That showing permitted no doubt as to Finland's future possibilities, and all Finland was ambitious to realize them.

And in the case of no citizen in the Baltic nation was the ambition stronger than in the heart of Paavo Nurmi.

"Finland had been making an intensive study of track and field athletics since 1912," says Paavo. "It had sent Jonni Pikkola to America to learn all he could of your methods of conducting and coaching athletics and had sent others to European countries to learn their methods. Instructions and action photographs began coming back to us. Athletic clubs developed keen rivalry over the completeness of their picture galleries, and our boys would study the poses of your runners and jumpers and field event men and then go out and attempt to copy them.

Paavo Picks His Course

"But we were lacking in equipment and facilities, and when we compared the marks our men made in the sprints and shorter runs and the hurdles and other events, we knew that for a time at least we must rely on our own specialties for Olympic glory. One needs only a roadway to develop distance running; one needs only a field to develop javelin throwing, shot putting and discus throwing. But one must have nicely made cinder tracks for sprinting, and expert coaching for hurdling, pole vaulting, high jumping and other specialties. We had the roads and the fields; we did not have the cinder paths and the coaches. Thus the wiser knew that it would be in distance racing and in the weight events that we would count.

That realization placed a load on Paavo Nurmi's shoulders, but a load he was ambitious to carry.

Paavo had no worries over winning a place on the Finnish Olympic team, though the Finnish Olympic fund permitted sending only twenty-three track and field men to Antwerp. He had proved over and over again that he was Finland's best runner at distances from 3,000 to 10,000 metres. But he wondered whether he would be able to carry the burden that his proficiency placed upon him, for as Finland's best at the foregoing distances he would be expected to engage in four of the most taxing events on the Antwerp programme—the 5,000-metre, the 10,000-metre and the cross-country runs, and the 3,000-metre team race. Paavo was ambitious to duplicate the 1912 Olympic performances of Hannes Kolehmainen, who, at Stockholm had won the first three of those four events, but he was far from certain of his ability.

During the months preceding the Antwerp games Finland's sports publications devoted much space to the foreign athletes Paavo would be called upon to face. In the early Spring of 1920 F. A. Montague, of Oxford University, England, loomed as the rival most to be feared in the 5,000-metre Olympic event. He had proved a consistent winner in his college races, and his times were impressive. A few weeks later Gordon T. Nightingale, of New Hampshire State University, was the man who worried him, for Nightingale, in the Pennsylvania Relay Carnival, had soundly trounced Montague, who had come to America with the Oxford relay team. Paavo breathed a sigh of relief when he learned that for some strange reason Nightingale was not named as a member of the American team to go to Antwerp.

Faces Opponent in the Dark

Paavo's chief concern, however, centred on Joseph Guillemot, of France. That young man, still a soldier in the French army, was the talk of the continent during the Spring and early Summer of that Olympic year. He first attracted attention by winning an army race in exceptionally fast time, and thereafter his name appeared often in European sports pages, for he had not only scored victories but lowered records. France hailed him as a second Jean Bouin, and France would not readily rate any with the famed Bouin, who so gallantly sacrificed his life early in the World War.

Bachman, of Sweden, and Wilson, of Great Britain, were others who loomed threateningly in the events Paavo would start. But he viewed Guillemot as the man he must beat if he was to duplicate Kolehmainen's triple triumph. He wished to know more of the great French runner. The papers told of his margins of victory, and the times he made, but gave no information as to his system of racing—whether he followed or set the pace; whether he ran evenly, according to a set schedule, or engaged in intermittent bursts of speed along the course. Paavo engaged interpreters to translate the stories on Guillemot appearing in the French sport papers that came to Helsingfors. But they did not reveal what he sought, and Paavo arrived in Antwerp with no complete knowledge of the most difficult opponent he would face.

Tomorrow: Why Nurmi Works Out Alone.

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FALCONS ON EDGE FOR COMING SCRAP

In Fine Shape for Basketball Game Against Scimitars—Seattle Coming Over in Full Strength

Each player on the Falcon basketball team is resting up for their big game with the Seattle Scimitars on Saturday evening, at the local Y.M.C.A. Every one, with the exception of Robertson, is in the pink of condition, and after the three-day rest are "rarin' to go." Doug., who plays forward, hurt his back while practicing on Saturday last and has been laid up with it for a few days. However, he will be in uniform on the night of the game to help his teammates out on the long end of the score. Shillings, the star centre, has fully recovered from the injury he received to his thigh on Monday afternoon, and will be back in his old stride Saturday.

Manager Nev. Goff wired over to Captain "Bud" Hocking to say that his team will arrive in town Saturday afternoon, and he is bringing over practically the same team that visited Victoria in November of last year, with the exception of White and Salvers. The following is the probable line-up of the Scimitars: "Chuck" Maxfield, C. Thomas, C. White and B. Wells, forwards; G. Hyett, K. McCarthy and G. Salvers, guards.

The High School and Civil Service Girls will stage a preliminary game, which will start at 7:30 sharp, and will be refereed by Tommy De Macedo. The big game will also be refereed by De Macedo.

Those wishing reserved tickets at the last moment may secure them from the Y.M.C.A. by phoning 2930.

CALGARY HOLLIES WIN FROM AMAZONS

Vancouver's Lady Hockey Players Are Defeated by Two Goals to Nil at Banff

BANFF, Alta., Feb. 12.—Nearly 1,000 persons attended the hockey match last night between the Calgary Hollies and the Vancouver Amazons. Spirited back-checking by the Calgary forwards and better finish in front of the goals gave them a well-deserved victory over the Vancouver team. Mrs. Graham Morton scored both goals for the Hollies. She scored one in a lone rush in the first period, and the second from a scramble in front of the goal in the second period.

In the last stanza the Amazons tried hard to score, but they were back-checked off their feet, and when they did get past the blue line the husky defence players of the Hollies bounced them for a row of Chinese pagodas. It was no pink tea affair, players on both sides laying on the hickory with a will. One Vancouver player was knocked out and suffered a wrenched leg, and the goalkeeper bears a big bruise over the left temple as a result of stopping the puck there.

VETS TO PLAY WESTS

The Veterans football team will play the Victoria Wests tomorrow in a friendly soccer match at Beacon Hill, starting at 2:30 p.m. All the Veterans' players are asked to be in the dressing-room at 2 p.m.

How to Play Basketball

By EDWIN J. MATHER and ELMER D. MITCHELL
Coach and Athletic Director, University of Michigan

This is the seventeenth of a series of articles written by Edwin J. Mather and Elmer D. Mitchell, coach and athletic director, respectively, at the University of Michigan, dealing with basketball in all phases of the sport.

XVII

When a team's centre is being outjumped continually, it is better to give up attempts to work plays from centre and use a defense to keep the opponents from getting the ball and working their plays. The main idea is to get possession of the ball.

At the present day teams have found it possible to perfect the centre defence to the point where they are able to play a combination defensive-offensive. They are able to do this by playing their defensive to get possession of the ball, even though the opposing centre outjumps their own, and then team-mates who do not secure the ball break to pre-arranged positions on the floor and thus work a play.

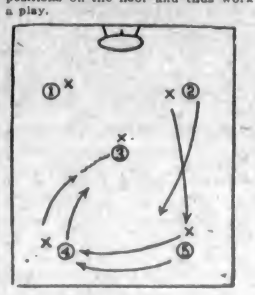

DIAGRAM NO. 1

Get the Ball

However, the main idea, first of all, should be to concentrate all efforts on getting possession of the ball.

A new team that cannot break up their opponents' centre plays are bound to have their morale badly damaged. The following centre defence systems give ideas of plans used by different teams:

Every man stick to his own man on the tip-off, the so-called man-to-man style. See Diagram No. 1.

The type of defence is weak and allows openings for many centre plays. Many variations of the man-to-man style are found. One of them drops the centre back quickly under the defensive basket to pick up an opponent who may have been free for a short shot. In this case the other men stick to their opponents, excepting that one forward may, if desired, come down to the middle of the floor and play the ball.

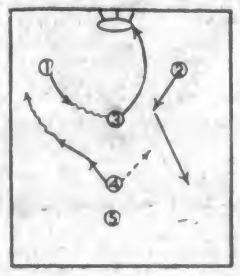

DIAGRAM NO. 2

Three After Ball

Diagram No. 2 shows an excellent defence. The two forwards and running guards are expected to play the ball if it comes in their direction. In this diagram the ball had been tipped to the left. One and four will go after it, the nearest taking it. Forward 2, who is on the opposite side of the ball, continues down the floor to defence. In case his own side recovers the ball he makes a quick stop and turns and assists in the offense.

Centre No. 3 may run up under the basket, leaving on the opposite side from where the ball was tipped, or he may be used to aid the defence if preferred. This is a style of play fitting well into the general scheme of defense excepting the man-to-man.

The next article will deal with out-of-bound and foul line plays.

Three More Records Smashed by Nurmi On Buffalo Track

BUFFALO, Feb. 12.—Paavo Nurmi smashed three more world's records today when he scored a sensational victory in a handicap race at a mile and one-quarter, featuring the 106th Regiment indoor games.

"The Phantom Finn," flashing a brilliant race in his first appearance here, erased his own indoor standards for 3,000 yards, 2,000 metres and a mile and a quarter, and led his only dangerous rival, Jimmy Connolly, former Georgetown star, to the tape by 75 yards.

Special Tournament For Lady Golfers

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Women members of every golf club in the United States and Canada are eligible for a special national green section tournament, under the auspices of the U.S. Golf Association, to be held some time in June. It was announced today. The proceeds will go into the green section endowment fund.

INTERNATIONAL BOWLING

MINNEAPOLIS, Feb. 12.—With a record entry list of 309 teams, the seventeenth annual tournament of the International Bowling Association will get under way here tomorrow. It will continue through next week.

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ARNE BORG MAKES NEW WORLD RECORD

Swedish Swimming Champion Lowers Weismuller's Time for 500 Yards —New Lady Champion

ST. AUGUSTINE, Fla., Feb. 12.—Arne Borg, Swedish champion and well-known European swimmer, broke the world's record here today for 500 yards, formerly held by Johnny Weismuller. Borg's time today was 5:49 1-5, which is 1 1-5 seconds better than the record formerly held by the Chicago swimmer. The third day's racing at the national swimming championships produced a national woman's champion in the 100 yards event. Ethel Lackie, of Chicago, who won the 100 metres event at last Summer's Olympics at Paris, is the new titleholder at the century distance. The 400 yards relay championship was won by the first team of the Women's Swimming Association of New York in 4 minutes, 34 seconds. The winning team comprised Gertrude Ederle, Aileen Riggin, Adelaide Lambert and Helen Wainwright.

ST. AUGUSTINE, Fla., Feb. 12.—Agnes Geraghty set a new national record of 37.1-5 seconds for the 50 yards breast stroke here yesterday. Helen Wainwright, of New York, and Sybil Bauer, of Chicago, retained their titles in the 220 yards and 100 yards backstroke events respectively, after the second day of the five-day aquatic meet here yesterday. Miss Bauer had little competition in her event and won easily.

Vancouver Men Win Badminton Matches In Big Tournament

OTTAWA, Feb. 13.—Playing an excellent brand of badminton, J. Underhill, of Vancouver, had little difficulty in advancing to the third round of the Canadian badminton championship, being played here, when he defeated D. B. Seeley, of Quebec, in the second round of the play this afternoon by the decisive score of 15-3, 15-1.

Another Vancouver representative, N. Taggert Cowan, was also victorious in the second round, vanquishing W. A. Hern, Quebec, 15-4, 15-13.

Bike Riders Now Getting Real Money

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Pete Moskops, giant Hollander, who holds the world's cycling championship, will be paid $16,000 to participate in the six-day race which starts in Madison Square Garden on March 1, officials announced today. The highest amount ever derived by Alfred Goulett, known as king of the six-day riders, is said to have been about $6,000.

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Heavyweight Pitcher Signed by Cleveland

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Scottish League, Second Division
Forfar 1, Alloa 3.
Scottish Cup Competition, Replay
Solway Star 3, Vale of Leven 3.
Rugby
Cardiff 22, Llanelly 0.

At the Playhouses

ENGLISH COMPANY SCORES SUCCESS

PRESENTATION OF BREWSTER'S MILLIONS ENJOYED

Audience Appreciates Fine Work of Mr. Percy Hutchison—Play Is Gloom Dispeller

"Brewster's Millions," the great laughing success which Percy Hutchison, the eminent English actor, and his entire Queen's Theatre company is staging at the Royal Victoria Theatre for two nights this week, scored tremendously last evening at its first production. The appreciative audience cheered Percy Hutchison and his company, and made known in a practical manner that they greatly enjoyed their presentation of an ever-popular play. The performance will be repeated this evening at the Royal, while "The Luck of the Navy" and "Bulldog Drummond" will be produced on Saturday afternoon and evening respectively.

Mr. Hutchison and his company were not unappreciative of the demonstrativeness of their reception, for, in response to the enthusiastic plaudits of the patrons, the popular actor-manager delivered a neat little speech at the conclusion of the final act, expressing the thanks of the company and himself for the splendid greeting that they had been given by Victoria theatregoers.

"Brewster's Millions," the production which Mr. Hutchison and his talented company have played on and off for the last seven years, in no less than seven West End London theatres, several provinces, and South Africa, was produced here by him last night for the first time, and all persons who thoroughly enjoy a play abounding in laughter, excitement, romance, tense situations and superb acting should not fail to see "Brewster's Millions" tonight.

One Monty Brewster

The theme of "Brewster's Millions" concerns the doings of one Montgomery Brewster, which role is capably portrayed by Mr. Percy Hutchison, who has inherited a quarter of a million pounds and is perplexed by a second inheritance of two millions. The latter, however, is accompanied by certain conditions, which are that the legatee must spend every penny of the first legacy within a certain time, failing which he does not secure the two millions. He must not give the money away nor spend it in evil courses, but must get rid of it in recognized channels, and at the rate of seven hundred pounds per day.

Monty must not divulge to anyone the reason why he must get rid of his money and be penniless on a certain date. His friends are astounded at the way in which he parts with his money, and describe him as "crazy" in his actions in providing funds for a chorus girl, equips her with a theatre and flat, indulges in racing, charters a yacht and takes a round-the-world cruise, places money in banks which he knows to be unsound, and many other similar investments.

Occasions Great Hilarity

Great hilarity is occasioned when Monty's plunges reap him money instead of losses, when he backs the worst horse on the track and it romps home a 40 to 1 shot winner, and when he invests in seemingly worthless stock and it rises and brings him a great profit. His success at Monte Carlo, whither he proceeded in the hope of losing much of his money, but instead broke the bank, adds to Mr. Brewster's predicament.

How Monty, in spite of the dilemma in which he is continually in, succeeds in disposing of all his money and acquires the two millions, is a story that should not be related here but should be seen at the Royal Victoria tonight.

Mr. Hutchison is given strong support by the clever cast. The role of Margaret (Peggy) Grey, with whom Monty is violently in love, is admirably filled by Betty Nelson. Ronald Sinclair, the gentleman burglar, in the curtain raiser to the farce, "Nightie Night," played last week at the Royal, takes the part of Archie Golding, who is enamored by the charms of Janice Armstrong (Kate Carew). All the other actors and actresses show equal merit in their respective roles.

COLUMBIA THEATRE Hoot Gibson is the star of the unusual Western film story which opened yesterday at the Columbia Theatre, Universal's "The Hurricane Kid." For the past year or two, Gibson's pictures have been noted particularly for one quality—their lack of the usual "hokum." They have plenty of action and the most beautiful Western scenery, but they avoid the situation of always having the hero "come out on top," and frequently he is seen in anything but hero-like relations to the fans' ready idolatry. The story is especially pleasing because Hoot is on the back of "Pal" on most every occasion when he is not battling the foreman, or trying to summon up enough courage to make love to a wealthy rancher's charming daughter.

DOMINION THEATRE "Miss Bluebeard," a Paramount picturization of Avery Hopwood's Broadway stage hit, "Little Miss Bluebeard," is the feature at the Dominion Theatre for the balance of this week. Frank Tuttle directed the picture, Townsend Martin wrote the screen play. Bebe Daniels is the star and Robert Frazer, Raymond Griffith, Kenneth MacKenna and others appear in the supporting cast. "Miss Bluebeard" is a story of Collette Girard (Bebe), French actress who goes to London. En route she meets a young fellow who poses as Larry Charters, prominent composer. The pair are stranded in a small town railroad station and go to the mayor's house as the only place of shelter in the little hamlet. The mayor mistakes them for a young couple he is expecting and marries them. Fancy that! What a mess! Bebe's at her best in this one, but has to step some, nevertheless, for Ray Griffith, in the finest comedy characterization you've seen in pictures in many a long day, is close behind when it comes to handing out acting laurels. You're sure to hear more of this fellow later.

PLAYHOUSE THEATRE Ralph Bushman was being directed in a scene from "The Man Life Passed By" by Victor Schertzinger, the attraction at the Playhouse Theatre this week, when a voice boomed from the darkness behind the group, with "If he won't do what you want, I'll turn him across my knee and spank him!" and Francis X. Bushman, his father, walked into the light. But Ralph drew himself up to his height of six feet two and one-half inches, and laughed, "Them days are gone forever dad!" This was the first time the two had been inside a studio together since Ralph played kid parts with his father in the old Essanay days.

CAPITOL THEATRE Norma Talmadge, in her latest First National picture, "Secrets," now showing at the Capitol Theatre, plays four different roles in four different periods and in gowns of four different fashion cycles. It is a picture of modern romance with glimpses into three other periods of American home life. Starting out in 1923, the picture later shows Norma as a young wife of the early days in Wyoming and the Far West. Then the action switches to the year 1870. Norma has become the mother of a growing family. The passing years of the photoplay's story next show her in the gowns of the late '80s of the last century. Her hair has greyed and the children have grown up, but it is the same Norma of the early sequences of the story. Last of all, Norma is shown again in modern costumes in 1923 settings.

COLISEUM THEATRE A toy balloon flew away with a valuable jade necklace from the neck of Carol Dempster while the heroine of "One Exciting Night" was playing before the camera in D. W. Griffith's latest mystery sensation of the films, a United Artists release, which is the attraction at the Coliseum Theatre this week. As Miss Dempster was busy with her make-up, she tied the balloon to the jade necklace. It was in the open, and as the balloon tugged at its anchor, the youngster clapped his hands and shouted: "It will get away. Look out!" Then came a sudden puff of wind. The necklace parted at the clasp. The balloon carried it into the air, out over the waters of Long Island Sound. Because of the value of the necklace, three boats were sent in pursuit, but the strong afternoon wind carried the little balloon far towards Long Island, until it was lost in the clouds. And with it was lost an $800 necklace. Will Marshall does a fine bit of character acting this week in the sketch, "An Affair of Spirits," where he takes the part of a very happy drunk, whose exuberance is turned to dismay by the turn of events as arranged by his wife and the doctor. Peggy Lewis as his wife also is to be commended on her most convincing portrayal of the outraged spouse, while George Brydone, as the doctor, leaves nothing to be desired. As a vehicle for comedy it would be hard to find a better playlet than this.

AMUSEMENTS

The Screen

Capitol—Norma Talmadge in "Secrets."
Coliseum—Porter Strong in "One Exciting Night."
Columbia—"The Hurricane Kid," starring Hoot Gibson.
Dominion—Bebe Daniels in "Miss Bluebeard."
Playhouse—Percy Marmont in "The Man Life Passed By."

The Stage

Royal—Percy Hutchison & Company.

IRISH COMEDY IS BEING FEATURED IN BRINGING UP FATHER

The above is the title of the latest George McManus "laugphest" coming to the Royal Theatre for an engagement of three days, with a matinee on Wednesday, commencing Monday, Feburary 16.

"Jiggs and Maggie" pay a visit to their native soil. They left "The Old Sod" when quite small, and it is confidentially said that Maggie was then what is termed an ordinary "Kitchen Mechanic" and "Jiggs" was admittedly a "Hod Carrier." Their return as scions of polite society naturally incites much national interest in the land of St. Patrick. Maggie will naturally assume charge of the tour, and will be backed by an entire new stock of "Rolling Pins" for emergencies. "Jiggs" has acquired an acute sense of feminine beauty, and it is up to Maggie to see that he is not ensnared by some Irish beauty. Though "Jiggs" source of unlimited wealth has not been definitely determined, it is generally understood that he accumulated considerable as a contractor in the early days of Tammany Hall. But—some have been so unkind as to suggest a little game commonly known as "Bootleg." Though Maggie, in her newly-acquired refinement of language, insists that at least it should be spoken as "Boot-limb." However, "Bringing Up Father in Ireland" is going to furnish some rare comedy for the theatregoers of the entire country. It is an event that is looked forward to by the masses who go to the theatre to laugh. Ireland furnishes ample opportunity for beautiful scenic vesture, which will be taken advantage of to the fullest extent. As usual, girls will be the predominating feature, together with entrancing music and the newest and best dances.

Japanese Budget Passes

TOKIO, Feb. 12.—The Japanese Government budget, totalling 1,524,000,000 yen was passed today by the Lower House for the fiscal year 1925-26.

MONOLOGUE WILL BE FEATURE OF RADIO CONCERT TONIGHT

A very special feature of the radio programme to be broadcast this evening by Fletcher Bros. over station CFCT will be the monologue specialties by Mr. and Mrs. Harold Groves, well-known society entertainers of this city. These artists have appeared at this station with great success during last Fall, and received splendid comments from distant points of their fine work. Mr. and Mrs. Groves are appearing this evening by special request of "listeners in," both in Victoria and outlying localities, and they will prove an innovation for station CFCT. Miss Dorothy Greenwood will be heard in piano solos. Mr. W. N. Kelly, president of the Natural History Society, will give an interesting talk on the "Flax Plant and Its Use." Mr. James Bryant, talented local tenor, will be heard in three groups of songs.

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SAYS CANADA IS ROCK OF EMPIRE

MR. PERCY HUTCHISON URGES INTEREMPIRE TRADE

Stresses Necessity of All Parts of Empire Pulling Together—Traces History of Drama

"In England we look upon Canada as a rock of the British Empire and British Columbia as the centre of that rock. You were the first of the Dominions to come into the war, the others followed; we in England have not forgotten that fact," stated Mr. Percy Hutchison, the eminent English actor who is playing during the balance of the week at the Royal Victoria Theatre, in addressing members of the Victoria Rotary Club yesterday noon in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium.

Mr. Percy Hutchison said that people in the Old Country realized very well that Canada was on the map, and claimed that it was absolutely necessary that the whole of the component parts of the Empire should stand solidly together and pull unitedly if success in the future was to be achieved.

The speaker dwelt on the importance of interempire trade, and reviewed his efforts to increase trade between Great Britain and the self-governing Dominions. He pointed out the great opportunities for Canada in trade with the various portions of the Empire, citing cases where Canada could well be enjoying commercial enterprises which is at present in the hands of Germany, the United States and other nations.

Asserting that prior to the war the trade of Great Britain with other parts of the Empire was worth more to her than that with the whole of Europe, Mr. Hutchison ascribed this circumstance as one of the reasons why he was such a staunch advocate of interempire commerce. He said that much of the lack of ability of Great Britain to supply capital to outlying sections of the Empire was due to enormous taxation and the heavy annual payments to the United States.

Praises Government's Action

Mr. Hutchison praised the action of the present British Government in voting the sum of one million pounds for interempire trade development.

The eminent actor touched on two other topics, namely, possibilities of separation of Canada from the Empire, and the development of the drama. He stated that the term British Columbia stood for loyalty to the King and constitution, and surely people here would not want "British" Columbia changed to such names as "Chinese" Columbia," "Spanish" Columbia, or even "America" Columbia. He traced the traditions of the British race, stating that leaders in greek educational, religion, political, artistic and literary movements were of British origin. And yet some suggest that the Canadians break traditions, and for what? he inquired.

The gradual development of the English stage was traced by Mr. Hutchison, who gave a comprehensive review of the creation and progress of his profession. He said he had been successful in the past in inducing English plays and players to come to Canada, and promised he would continue to do so. He was very gratified with the wonderful reception given to English companies in Victoria. He said that Sir Martin Harvey had told him that he intended returning to Canada on a tour.

Mr. Hutchison, who is a Rotarian, was given a warm reception yesterday, and President Beatty described the actor's address as a "real masterpiece." Mr. Hutchison is the founder of the Rotary Club of York, in England, and the Rotary Clubs in Durban and Capetown, in South Africa, and has been sowing the seeds of Rotary in all countries he has toured.

BRITISH BOXERS WIN TWO EVENTS

Leading Amateurs From Old Country Make Best Showing in Triangular International Meet

BOSTON, Feb. 12.—Forty-two leading amateur boxers of Britain, Canada and New England met here tonight in a triangular international tournament under the auspices of the New England Association of the Amateur Athletic Union. England scored a victory in the 135-pound class final, the first of the programme to be decided, when G. Gogay won the judge's decision from George Chadet, of Canada, after three rounds. Gogay entered the final by defeating John Angelus, of Boston, and Chadet eliminated Jack Twohig, of Brockton, to enter the final, both winning by decisions.

Edward Adonis, of Boston, battered his way to a decision victory over Pat O'Hanrahan, British champion, in the final of the 147-pound class. Adonis won a decision over H. O'Loughlin, of Canada, in a semi-final, and O'Hanrahan scored a decision over Jim McGonigle, of Lynn, Mass., in the other.

Jack Elliott, England, 160-pound class final, won from Phil Flanagan, Malden, Mass. Elliott eliminated Pat McAtteer, of Bodham, Mass., in one semi-final on a decision, and Flanagan won a decision over Don Marshall, of Canada, in the other.

In the 175-pound class final Joe Monte, of Brockton, won a decision from Harry Mitchell, England, Olympic lighth-heavyweight champion. Monte scored the only knockout of the night when he put away Jean Ratelle, of Canada, in the first round of their scheduled three-round clash to enter the final. Mitchell won his semi-final by defeating Jim Madden, of Boston.

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10 doz. Hemmed Table Napkins, 6 for **$1.50**
20 only Cream Pure Linen Tablecloths, for **$3.50**
15 only 72-inch White Linen Tablecloths, regular $7.50, for **$5.50**
10 only 90-inch White Linen Tablecloths, regular $8.50, for **$6.50**
15 doz. Linen Napkins, $7.50, for, dozen **$6.00**
10 only Irish Linen Tablecloths, with one dozen Napkins; regular $17.50. On sale, per set, for **$12.50**
10 only, Handsome English Marcella Bedspreads; regular $11.50. On sale, ea. **$8.50**
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M'MILLAN WINS BILLIARD TITLE

DEFEATS WOODWARD WITH PLENTY TO SPARE

Vancouver Player Runs Out With Lead of 456 Points—Woodward Makes Century Break

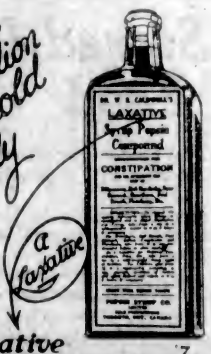
WINNIPEG, Feb. 12.—Jack McMillan, of Vancouver, western titleholder, won the Dominion billiard championship, finishing the final session of the tournament tonight with a lead of 456 points over A. A. Woodward, of Montreal, eastern champion.

The score: McMillan 6,000; Woodward 4,544.

Woodward scored the only century break of the day's play, 112.

The Versatile Tilden Now in Vaudeville

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—William T. Tilden II, national tennis champion, has contracted for a six weeks' vaudeville tour with Peggy Wood, well-known actress, as partner, it was learned today. Tilden is appearing in motion pictures and for some time has written articles for various periodicals.



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VICTORIA COLLEGE INVADES MAINLAND

Rugby and Basketball Games to Be Played Against B.C. University Teams This Week-End

Three teams from the Victoria College together with numerous supporters, will journey to Vancouver by this afternoon's boat to meet athletes from the University of British Columbia. Altogether about fifty collegians will make the trip.

All three events are scheduled for tomorrow, the college rugby team meeting the U.B.C. Freshmen, and two basketball games in the evening.

The rugby squad, which has been practising hard, expects to register a win over its rivals and make up for the former defeat at home. The forwards are a husky pack, hard-working and well able to make the grade in weight. The threes have some fast men on the line, with Willis, the captain, and young Rep. Nigger, starring. Bill Locke will be back at his old position of stand-off half, with "Red" McIntyre at five-eighths.

The ladies' basketball team, which has been winning consistently here, have a very bright prospect before them. Iola Worthington and Audrey Just, the two former High School stars, have been pulling off some snappy combination play, and great things are expected of them.

The men's team with Foubister and Parfitt as guards, should stage some good playing.

All things considered the college is sending over one of the strongest contingents they have yet done, and should bring home a victory or two.

The day will end on Saturday with a dance given in their honor at the Normal gymnasium.

The programme will be as follows: Saturday, Feb. 14—Morning, 10:30 o'clock, rugby, Victoria College vs. Freshmen (U.B.C.); evening, 7 o'clock, basketball, Victoria College (ladies) vs. U.B.C. Senior "A"; 7:45 o'clock, Victoria College (men) vs. U.B.C. Intermediate "B"; 8-12, dance.

TIJUANA RACING

TIJUANA, Feb. 12.—Results of today's racing follow:

First race, three-eighths of a mile—1, Maimonides (101), $9.60, $6.40, $3; 2, Jersey Red (108), $9.60, $4.80; 3, Sannatuga (109), $2.60.

Second race, 5½ furlongs—1, Brazos (109), $9.40, $4, $3; 2, Wild Thoughts (107), $12, $8; 3, Rosemint (102), $5.

Third race, 5½ furlongs—1, Boomerang (109), $5.20, $3, $2.40; 2, Sly Fox (109), $7.40, $5; 3, Bedazzle (107), $5.20.

Fourth race, 5½ furlongs—1, Convent (105), $26, $12, $8; 2, Miss Fryer (107), $11.60, $7; 3, Olympian King (117), $5.60.

Fifth race, mile and 70 yards—1, Piedra (115), $5.80, $3, $2.20; 2, Lady Leonid (108), $2.20, $2.20; 3, Pirouette (98), $2.20.

Sixth race, 6½ furlongs—1, Dominique (110), $15.40, $5.20, $4; 2, Buster Keaton (100), $6, $3.40; 3, Lucky Play (122), $3.20.

Seventh race, three-quarters of a mile—1, Odd Seth (112), $8.40, $4.20, $3.40; 2, Pegonip (109), $3.40, $3.60; 3, Bryn Dear (104), $4.

Eighth race, mile and 70 yards—1, Crack o' Dawn (109), $2.60, $3.40, $2.20; 2, Dr. T. S. Dabney (101), $2.60, $2.20; 3, Poppina (98), $2.40.

Ninth race, five-eighths of a mile—1, A. Lester (108), $7, $4.40, $2.80; 2, Top o' the Morning (108), $12, $5.60; 3, Bill McCloy (119), $2.60.

Overnight Entries

First race, 3½ furlongs—Deep Blue, 105; Santa Cecilia, 110; Flaxseed, 110; Lady Julian, 110; Island Fairy, 115; Panola, 115; Mi Amigo, 115; Ruth Gold, 115.

Second race, 5½ furlongs—Shastina, 96; Never Can Tell, 106; Kiel Diamond, 106; Red Moon, 106; Edna T., 106; Rose Roberta, 106; Calihan, 108; Financial Rooster, 108; Lady Winifrey, 109; Helen Cook, 109; Randolph, 111; Santhia C., 111; Lulu Black, 111; Boerne, 113.

Third race, 5½ furlongs—Jenks, 99; Queen Roxie, 99; Lazova, 99; Miss Shasta, 102; Blackfoot, 104; Freemason, 104; Mt. Shasta, 104; Cocksure, 104; Little Bat, 107; El Cid, 109.

Fourth race, 5½ furlongs—Lake Chapala, 97; Shasta Springs, 97; Kingman, 99; Lady Berrildon, 102; White Lights, 107; La Una, 107; Miss Omond, 107; Acceleration, 107; Chillawack, 109.

Fifth race, mile and 70 yards—Irvington, 90; Gloom Girl, 93; Bessie Young, 105; Chick Barclay, 107; Humma, 107; Fayette Girl, 110; Evelyn Harrigan, 110; York Lassie, 110; Miss Paige, 110; T. J. Pendergast, 108; Bacchus, 108; Reydo, 108; Pembroke, 108; Lone Pine, 108; Au Revoir, 108.

Sixth race, three-quarters of a mile—Cordon Rouge, 100; Beth Page, 100; The Lamb, 101; Lena Wood, 102; Wo. Montgomery, 106; Diomed, 107; Lady Rose, 113; Bulletproof, 115; Frank S., 115.

Seventh race, one mile—Black Wand, 98; Worthman, 100; Fair Rowena, 103; Polo Grounds, 106; Catherine Maronne, 109; Buddie Kean, 113; Lady Ines, 113; Barn Dollar, 115.

Eighth race, five-eighths of a mile—Shasta Rapida, 104; Tailteann, 106; She Will, 107; Belle K., 110; Miss Emma G., 110; Pearl Boots, 110; Brazos, 112; Stamp, 112; Marie Maxim, 113; Cornflower, 113; Praiseworthy, 113; Dell Evans, 115; Miss Nantura, 115; Noonglide, 115.

Ninth race, five-eighths of a mile—Scamper, 107; Sequen, 102; Rosa Atkin, 110; Malmavena, 110; Serena, 110; Miss Caltha, 110; Furious Bill, 112; Boomerang, 112; Duc de Guise, 112; Margaret White, 113; Kirkwood, 115; Ronleigh, 115; Zorro, 120; Maurice Mulcahy, 117; Jack Ledi, 117.

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RUMOR ALARMS LEAGUE'S STAFF

Suggestion as to Removal of Headquarters From Geneva Causes Great Commotion Among Secretariat

NO KNOWLEDGE OF ANY PROJECT TO CHANGE

Vigorous Climate of Present Locality Would Make Move Popular Among Majority of Officials

GENEVA, Feb. 12.—Nothing has ever caused such commotion among the staff of the secretariat of the League of Nations as bringing up in the British Parliament yesterday of a suggestion that the seat of the League might be removed to some other city.

Officials of the League, however, are unanimous in interpreting the governmental reply as meaning that England would not take the initiative in such a step. These officials say they know of no serious project to transfer the headquarters of the League elsewhere.

Cost of New Buildings

Discussion of the removal of the League's seat is coincident with a recent decision of architects that the new assembly hall will cost eight million Swiss francs instead of the four and a half million which had been voted and their judgment that the vacant land adjoining the present secretariat building is not sufficient for a proper assembly auditorium, especially if it is later desired to make additions.

If a vote of the League employees were taken, it probably would be in favor of removal, as the vigorous Geneva climate has caused considerable illness among the women members of the staff. Vienna or Brussels have been suggested as feasible locations, but the prevailing conviction is that the League members will abide by the late President Wilson's insistence that neutral Geneva was the most ideal home for the League.

Seventy-nine American cities have passed the 100,000 population mark.

REMAINING MEMBERS OF WELLS' EXPLOIT BACK FROM SIBERIA

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When looking it up on the map the finger starts at the Kurile Islands, travels up along the coast of Kamchatka, past the Bering Straits and the Cape of Prince of Wales, and then around the northeastern coast of Siberia. Lying off more than 200 miles away is the much-disputed territory that was named after its reputed discoverer, a Swedish admiral of more than three centuries ago.

A bleak wilderness of snow and ice, Wrangel Island never has had a permanent settlement, and has been used at long intervals only as a centre for the fur trade in that frigid part of the world.

British Expedition

About three years ago, however, a British party, financed by the Canadian explorer Stefansson, started out to establish a colony, with three Americans, one Canadian, Allan Crawford, of Toronto, and an Eskimo woman, Ada Blackjack, in the party. The food supplies ran low, several of the party perished in an attempt to convey the news of their distress to civilization, and after two years' privation, an American rescue ship braved the icebergs to penetrate to the tiny settlement, and found only the Eskimo woman still alive.

Charles Wells' Exploit

A few months later Wells set out with his little party of Eskimos to open a trading post. He had been there only a short time, however, when the Soviet Government got wind of his enterprise and, working on the theory that Wells was operating on Russian soil without having entered into negotiations for a concession, sent a warship to Wrangel Island. The entire party was brought to Vladivostok on November 19 to face trial. The name of the warship sent to capture Wells and his party was the Red October, for it was in that month that it set out for Wrangel Island.

Cut From Outside World

Efforts to communicate with Wells from Tokio failed. A telegram directed to him at an address in Harbin on December 3, requesting him to tell why he was being held by the Russian authorities and under what circumstances, was retransmitted from Harbin to Vladivostok in cipher through the courtesy of officials of a certain foreign consulate in both cities, and the text was made known to him verbally. No direct reply, however, was ever received from him, and it seems likely that during his detainment by the authorities he was unable to communicate with the outside world.

Remains Coming Home

Through friends Wells had appealed to the American Government for assistance, stating that the Soviet authorities refused to liberate him, but inasmuch as the United had no legitimate jurisdiction over Wrangel Island, his plead went unanswered, although the American consul at Vladivostok personally lent him some money. On January 2 Wells became ill and was removed to a hospital in Vladivostok, and on January 8 he died. It was further learned that friends and relatives in Seattle have requested that the body be shipped home, and steps will probably be taken by their agents to that effect.

Wrangel Expedition Recalled

THE HOLLYWOOD OF THE ARCTIC

She looks like an Eskimo belle, bang and all, but as a matter of fact her name is Billy. Billy is the Vaientino rather than the Theda Bara of the Pribilof Islands, which were visited by the Wrangel Island relief expedition. Members of the party will reach here today.

HUNTING ARCTIC TRUFFLES

These are reindeer digging in the snow for moss. They are part of the herds of Lomen Brothers, of Nome, who claim title to Wrangel Island and who sent out the schooner Herman last Fall in an unsuccessful effort to get relief to the colonists at Wrangel Island.

SIR JAMES BARRIE'S WORKS ARE THEME

Prof. F. G. C. Wood Speaks to Big "Extension Lecture" Audience at Victoria College

An intimate study of Sir James Barrie as man, author and son of the "Margaret Ogilvie", whom he so charmingly depicts in his book with this title, was given by Professor F. G. C. Wood, of the University of British Columbia, in the University Extension lecture which he gave at Victoria College last evening for an audience which taxed the capacity of the hall. In the chair was Mrs. H. E. Young.

Barrie's "unpretentious" London flat was described, the speaker referring particularly to the pictures which adorned the walls. Among them was one of the original of "Little David," one of his adopted children, a young man who was killed in the Great War, and in whose memory Barrie, with characteristic unostentatiousness, had supported a hospital; another was a picture of Henley, still another of George Meredith. Meredith was one of Barrie's earlier friends and he had felt it a keen insult to the genius of the great author that England had not given him burial in her hall of fame, Westminster Abbey. Barrie and Robert Louis Stevenson were very close friends during the last years of Stevenson's life.

Barrie and his mother had close sympathies, how peculiarly close Barrie discovered one day when he confided to his mother his horror of the time when he should have to give up all games. His first inspiration for story-writing came through reading in a magazine called "Sunshine" a story about a lady who sold watercress—a figure which somehow impressed itself indelibly on his imagination.

Literary Career

From Dumfries Academy he had gone on to Edinburgh University, graduating at the age of twenty-two. An acquaintance on his return from university asked him what he was going to be, and he brazenly replied: "An author," the answer to which was: "What! And you an M.A.!"

His mother, like most Scotch women, had hoped that her gifted son would go into the church, and when instead he talked of London and a career she was very perturbed, regarding London as "a monster which licked up country youths." And when success began to come his way this same mother thought that "the people must be daft to pay for stories about people in her home town."

In 1892 Barrie began writing plays, and the downright discouragement offered by the famous critic, William Archer, simply had the effect of rousing his Scottish perveraeness to continue what he had begun, with convincingly fine results. In 1903 "Quality Street" came out, the same year "The Admirable Crichton," a play which Professor Wood averred would survive the test of time above all others. After this came "Peter Pan" (the fine screening of which recently appeared here). "Peter Pan" had its inception in the escapades of Barrie and his schoolmates at Dumfries. One of Barrie's later reminiscences of this time was of himself in the role of a young lady in one of his own plays, which was afterwards played in London with Irene Vanburgh in the same role. With characteristic humor he had assured Miss Vanburgh that she was lacking in some of his womenly touches.

Uncanny Knowledge

"When we look at Barrie's plays as a whole, we are struck by his intimate, uncanny knowledge of a sex which baffles us," said Professor Wood. This knowledge was largely due to the intimacy which existed between Barrie and his mother. "What every Woman Knows," was one of the plays cited in this connection, also "Mary Rose." Barry never tried, like Bernard Shaw, to say anything new; nor did he try to teach or surprise his audience. Rather did he try to remind them of things they already knew, but seemed to have forgotten. Humanity, heart appeal, ran strongly through all his writings.

Barrie, as the successful author of one-act plays, was amply illustrated with a little outline of that charming war-time inspiration, "The Old Lady Shows Her Medals."

Would Stay Execution Of John Buchan Pirie

OTTAWA, Feb. 12.—A movement has been started among war widows in Ottawa and elsewhere in Canada to attempt to stay the execution of John Buchan Pirie, now condemned to die on March 24 for the murder of his wife and their two children, states The Journal this afternoon. They plan to have the sentence commuted or to have Pirie placed in an asylum. It was contended that the case in one that warrants further investigation on the belief that Pirie's crime was brought about by the effects of the severe accident suffered while serving in the war.

Captain Doisy Wins Award

PARIS, Feb. 12.—Capt. Pelletier Doisy, the Paris-to-Tokio flier, was today awarded the grand prix of 10,000 francs by the French Academy of Sports for the "sporting exploit, accomplished in France or by a Frenchman abroad, likely to result in material, scientific or moral progress for humanity."

AUTOMOBILE CLUB NAMES OFFICERS

VICTORIA BRANCH COMMENCES MEMBERSHIP CAMPAIGN

Treasurer's Report Shows Club to Be in Excellent Financial Condition —Traffic Laws Reviewed

Colonel A. W. R. Wilby, president of the Victoria branch of the Automobile Club of British Columbia, was re-elected to that position at the annual meeting of the branch held last night at the Empress Hotel. Major H. C. Holmes was elected first vice-president, and Mr. H. Despard Twigg, M.P.P., second vice-president, Mr. E. W. McMullen was re-elected treasurer, and Mr. R. R. Webb, secretary. The new board of directors is composed of Hon. Dr. Sutherland, and Messrs. A. M. Aitken, A. J. Dallain, R. W. Mayhew and F. Butterfield. The president and the two vice-presidents were appointed delegates to represent the Victoria branch at the annual general meeting of the club to be held next Monday at Vancouver.

The finances of the club are in excellent condition, according to the annual report of the treasurer, showing a profit over the year's expenses of $3,612.76, and a surplus of $7,506.51. Some idea of the immense amount of work accomplished by the club may be secured from the following statistics contained in the report of Mr. Fred J. Elkins, manager: Total membership, 7,621; during 1924, 22,312 people were given information over the counter of the Vancouver office, being 12,000 more than during the year previous; 18,842 telephone calls were answered; 41,993 letters were mailed; 10,048 letters were received; 50,728 strip maps were distributed; 21,031 road maps were given out; at Nanaimo 4,995 tourists and members were assisted in shipping and unloading their cars.

Relative to amendments to the Motor Vehicles Act, the report stated that the club recommended fourteen changes to the old act, and such was the spirit of co-operation secured between the club and the Attorney-General's Department, nearly every suggestion had been agreed to. Reference was made to the influence exerted by the club in the decision of the Government to proceed at once with the building of the trans-provincial highway.

President's Report

In Col. Wilby's report was contained reference to the membership situation in the Victoria Branch. He regretted, he said, that no increase could be reported. He thought that everyone who drove a car and accepted the benefits provided by the club should help pay for them. An active membership campaign had been started, he said, and indications were that there would be a large enrolment before Summer.

During the balloting on the candidates nominated as directors Mr. F. G. T. Lucas, president of the club, told of road conditions in the interior of the Province and of valuable publicity which had followed the Government's decision to complete the transprovincial highway. He believed, as did many others who were acquainted with road conditions in alp arts of America, that the new highway would bring untold thousands of Eastern tourists to the Canadian Pacific Coast. He urged the members of the Victoria Branch to see to it that Vancouver Island was prepared to receive the new influx of travelers which would occur when the road was completed in 1926. New roads were needed and new and larger accommodation for motor car tourists. What the island was greatly in need of was a circuit highway that would give motorists opportunity to journey to the beautiful Up-Island points and back again without traversing the same route.

Mrs. T. E. Pooley Dies At Bournemouth, Eng.

LONDON, Feb. 12.—Mrs. Pooley, wife of Major T. E. Pooley, of Victoria, B.C., died at Bournemouth today. They were well-known residents of Victoria.

Major Pooley is the eldest son of Mrs. C. E. Pooley, of "Fernhill," Esquimalt, and a visitor to the city two years ago. The late Mrs. Pooley was formerly Rosalie Maurice, of Haverford, Connecticut, U.S.A. She has been ill for a number of years and was unable to accompany her husband to this city on his last visit. She is survived by, besides Major Pooley, two children, a boy and a girl.

CANADIAN CUSTOMS SEIZE U.S. VESSEL

SCHOONER MAID OF ORLEANS IS CAPTURED IN FAR NORTH

Held for Non-Payment of Duties—R.C.M.P. Officer in Charge Has Disappeared

ANCHORAGE, Alaska, Feb. 12.—Canadian customs officials and Royal Canadian Mounted Police have seized the American-owned and outfitted schooner Maid of Orleans, the only vessel to reach Herschel Islands, 1,000 miles northeast of Point Barrow, Alaska, in a year, for non-payment of duties, according to a report received here.

Captain Christian Klingenburg, veteran far north fur trader, and skipper of the Maid of Orleans, was reported mushing overland to Fairbanks, 450 miles southwest of Herschel Island, en route to Ottawa, Ont., to secure the release of the vessel.

Captain Klingenburg refused duty payments, contending that under an old Arctic law a trader was exempt from such payments. The Maid of Orleans was purchased and outfitted last Summer in Seattle. On reaching Point Barrow, Canadian customs officers demanded duty from Captain Klingenburg.

Permitted to Sail

After persuasive arguments the Maid of Orleans was permitted to sail for Victorialand, with permission to land supplies for the captain's family and settlers on the island. The schooner sailed under a convoy of a young mounted policemen, who disappeared from the vessel. He was last seen walking on the deck of the schooner. An investigation of the officer's disappearance has been ordered, said word received here. On the arrival of the ship at Herschel Island, the Maid of Orleans was ordered held. No blame was said to be attached to either the crew of five of Captain Klingenburg. Captain Klingenburg was said to be nearing Fort Yukon, Alaska, 150 miles northeast of Fairbanks. She was bringing out a supply of white fox skins.

Outfitted in Seattle

SEATTLE, Feb. 11.—The schooner Maid of Orleans, reported seized by Canadian officials at Herschel Island, Victorialand, in the Arctic Circle, was purchased here by Captain Christian Klingenburg and outfitted for a trip north. Miss Alice Supplee, of Seattle, who was employed to teach school on Herschel Island, was among nine persons on board the schooner when she departed from Seattle, June 25. In September the schooner encountered severe storms in the Bering Sea. After battling for weeks with ice, the vessel succeeded in reaching Point Barrow and then the Arctic Ocean. The Maid of Orleans was the only vessel to reach Herschel Island last year.

Explosion Kills One and Injures Five

BARRE, Vt., Feb. 12.—One person was killed and five injured in an explosion here tonight which wrecked a three-story tenement housing five families.

Roller Hockey Games On Week-End Schedule

Following are the roller hockey games scheduled for tonight and Saturday night at the Victoria West gymnasium:

Tonight, at 7:30—90 lbs., Sumas Rangers vs. Simcoes; 90 lbs., Willows Canucks vs. Eagles; 110 lbs., Cedar Hill Rovers vs. Foul Bay Monarchs.

Saturday, at 7:30, Midgets, Haultains vs. Simcoes; unrestricted class, Oakland Acorns vs. Fairfield Sheiks; Colonists vs. Flix's Wonders.

St. John Ambulance Holds Annual Meeting

OTTAWA, Feb. 12.—Col. M. MacLaren, C.M.G., M.D., M.P., St. John, N.B., was re-elected president of the St John Ambulance Association, Canadian branch, at the annual meeting of the association here this afternoon. Reports were read reviewing a year of great activity and showing in results the fruits of a strenuous campaign. The annual report of the general executive pointed to an increase of more than 42 per cent in the number of first aid and home nursing certificates.

Three Years for Drug Peddlers

VANCOUVER, Feb. 12.—Sentence of three years each and fines of $500, or an additional twelve months imprisonment, was passed on Sam Shluker and Sidney Ellis by Magistrate Findlay in police court today, the two accused having been found in possession of narcotic drugs.

ROME, Feb. 12.—Minister of Commerce Nava today received representatives of the milling industry, who promised they would do all in their power to stabilize the price of flour and keep it at a low level. The millers reported that there was no reason for anxiety over the flour situation, as the supply of wheat required by Italy before the next crop comes in already has been obtained.

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The Colonist's Pictorial Page

Split Ears, as this member of the Blackfeet Indian tribe of Alaska, is known, shows a remarkable string of dried apples, which he has made into a sort of necklace

Frances Allen, premier ice speed king of Chicago, holder of the Illinois state championship, lays claim to another title, that of the Canadian championship, as the result of his speed on the blades at a recent Toronto meet

Prof. Dominingo Amunategui, former minister of the Interior of Chile, and present dean of the medical faculty of the University of Chile, has been commissioned to form a cabinet. The order comes from the revolutionary committee

A recent photograph is shown of the Prince Regent of Japan, seen at his desk in the imperial palace, where he attends to many affairs of state. He takes a most active interest in all government routine

The Abbe Edmond Loutil, famous Catholic novelist of Paris, has recently joined the ranks of screen celebrities. He played the role of priest in a recent production, and liked it so well that he is remaining with the company

The reigning sensation of Europe at the present time is Maria Asti, who mingles the latest expressionistic dances with interpretations of other climes and times. She is preparing to make an invasion of this continent

Some 12,000 red bedecked men and women wildly cheered Morris Spector, 14-year-old New York school boy at Madison Square Garden, after he had completed his speech calling for soviet rule in the U.S.

Hans Hanson of Minneapolis found ordinary skiing too tame for him, so he added a somersault or a loop-the-loop to his jump. He is shown just as he left the slide, head down and thirty feet above the ground

When Margaret Stempie, Ohio Northern University senior, and her mother, visited the White House recently, they met John Coolidge, the president's son, who it is rumored took an immediate fancy to the young guest. Now Washington is smiling, waiting and wondering

Something decidedly new in sleighing parties is being done in Oshawa with these Siberian sleds, which have been introduced by Mr. G. D. Conant, well-known yachtsman and horseman. One horse can draw a party of ten with speed either on roads or cross country

Here is shown Mrs. Scott Durant of Chicago, who recently cleaned-up a fortune of one million dollars on wheat speculation

Every Sunday afternoon in Quebec you will find a crowd of winter sport lovers like that shown above on any of the many hills which surround the city. Skiing, tobogganing, sledding, skating and snowshoeing—they're all on tap ready for use

Something brand new in the line of pets is introduced in the streets of Berlin. The amphibian is under perfect control while out of sight of water, but when water is near, calling has no effect

Dr. Otto Widdfeldt, ambassador from Germany to the U.S., is shown with J. Butler wright, assistant secretary of state, on his way to the White house to present his letters of recall to the president

Who said bobbed-hair was going out of style? Mrs. Cynthia Templeton, 94 years of age and oldest citizen of Porterville, Calif., declares there is nothing like shorn locks for comfort. She has had hers shingled

Paavo Nurmi is not always breaking records with his famous flying-finish Finnish legs. He is shown during his recent trip to Boston, driving his own car with Ugo Frigerio, Italian champion walker

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Birth Notices, $1.00 per insertion.

Business or Professional Cards of four lines or under, $3.50 per month. Additional space at $1.25 per line per month.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

BIRTHS

WEBB—On February 12, to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred W. Webb, at St. Joseph's Hospital, a son.

PAULINE—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on Thursday, February 12, to Mr. and Mrs. William Pauline, of the Field Apartments, a daughter (stillborn).

IN MEMORIAM

RHODES—In loving memory of a dear wife and a loving mother, Martha Ann Rhodes.

One year has passed, our hearts still sore,
As time goes on we miss her more,
Her sunny smile and cheerful face,
None can ever take her place.
—Inserted by the family.

FUNERAL DIRECTORS

SANDS FUNERAL CO.
Office and Chapel, 1923 Quadra Street
Phones 3309 and 3636

WE naturally want our loved ones cared for by one whom we know, one who understands, one who is competent, one who sympathizes.

MONUMENTAL WORK

J. MORTIMER & SON—Stone and Monumental work. 730 Courtney Street. Phone 2302.

COMING EVENTS 1

DON'T forget—Benefit dance to be held at the Amputation Club rooms, Belmont Building, tonight, February 13. Dancing 9 to 1.

DAUGHTERS of St. George—Dance, Harmony Hall, Monday, 16th. Refreshments. 35 cents.

DANCE to be held at Semple's Hall; Western Four Orchestra; February 13, 8:30-12 p.m. Ladies 25c, gents 35c. Supper.

GRAND MASQUERADE BALL, McBride Conservative Club, the Armories, Friday, February 26. Chevrolet car prize, crossword puzzle contest. Whist prizes. Handsome costume prizes on view at 1117 Douglas. Tickets $1, to be obtained from merchants and above address. Rogers' augmented orchestra.

NEW Friendship Club dance, Saturday nights in K. of P. Hall. There must be some reason why the crowds never slacken. Have you been lately? Sociable company and clean dancing is the whole secret. We have nothing to hide. Charlie Hunt's orchestra. Gents 50c, ladies 35c.

ROYAL Oak Basketball Club Dance, Royal Oak Hall, Friday, Feb. 13. Dancing 9 to 1. Howard Robinson's orchestra.

THE St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society is holding a big concert and dance in the K. of P. Hall on Friday, February 20. Concert 8-10, dancing 10-1 o'clock. Fiedler's orchestra. Admission 50c. Refreshments.

THE Victoria Quilting Club will hold a Scotch Dance in the Orange Hall on Friday, Feb. 13, at 9 o'clock. Gents 50c, Ladies 25c. Refreshments.

THE concert committee of the 5th Regt. wishes to announce that there will not be any dance at the Armories on Saturday night. Due notice will be given in the press before the next concert.

W.A. TO Canadian Legion—Whist drive tonight. $3 highest score; other good prizes, 2 special. 35 cents.

WANTED—MALE HELP 2

BIG rush of business coming soon—Will you be a $3-a-day man or a $10-a-day man when prosperity returns? You still have time to get into the Auto Business before the big rush starts. Profit by the boom by being in a paying trade.
For Particulars See
INTERNATIONAL ENGINEERING SCHOOL, 610 View Street.

GROW mushrooms in your cellar for us. $35 weekly. Illustrated booklet and particulars for stamp. Dominion Mushroom Co., Toronto.

LEARN wireless and travel. Complete Marconi spark and valve transmitting and late type receiving gear. Classes now forming. Telephone 28 for particulars. Sprott-Shaw School.

MAKE Money at Home—$1 to $2 an hour for your spare time writing showcards for us. No canvassing. We instruct and supply you with work. West-Angus Showcard Service, 20 Colborne Bldg., Toronto.

HUSTLERS WANTED

MEN AND BOYS to sell The Vancouver Sunday Province in Victoria and district. The Sunday newspaper with high-class colored and magazine sections. Good opportunity to secure good districts.

See Mr. Maycock, St. James Hotel, 9 to 11, 1 to 3, 7 to 8.

MARRIED gardener (single handed) for Okanagan district: lawns, flower beds and kitchen garden. State experience, age, nationality, wages, etc. House, fire and electric light supplied. Box 4245, Colonist.

TWO neat appearing young men for congenial outside work, between the ages of 19 and 32. Apply Room 214, Westholme Hotel, between 5 and 6 o'clock.

WANTED—Men and women to earn $5 to $25 weekly at home. No canvassing. Experience unnecessary. Distance immaterial. Particulars, 3c stamp. Address T. W. Chadburn, Dept. C.S., Station H, Toronto.

FEMALE HELP WANTED 3

SPROTT-SHAW Schools — Commercial, Stenography, Secretarial, Collegiate, Preparatory, Wireless and Radio courses. Day school now open. Phone 28, or send for prospectus.

WANTED—Cook-general. Four adults in family. Phone 1781.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE 4

BAKER (Danish), bread and pastry, wants position. Apply to A. Serup, P.O. Sluggetts, B.C.

EXPERIENCED English pruner. C. Tallack, 995 Hillside. Phone 4339R, evenings.

J. PEARSE, chimney sweep, 916 Dunn Avenue. Phone 6040L1. All work guaranteed.

HANDY man and domestic janitor. If you want any kind of work done, inside or outside the house, phone 5955R.

PLOUGHING done by day, hour or contract. Phone 3957R1.

ROSES pruned and sprayed, borders planted, lawns laid down. Charges moderate. Phone 7281L2.

STORE or office fittings, alterations, house repairs, garages, etc. Try Smith, 160 Howe. Phone 1731R.

TREE felling and topping, tree surgery. Phone 5298L1.

YOUNG men from Denmark, good family, desires work on poultry or fruit farm; 6 months' practical experience, Government Experimental Farm, Edmonton. Write Box 4319, Colonist.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE 5

GOOD practical nurse, willing to give general assistance. Box 4279, Colonist.

LADY wants position as housekeeper, in the city or in the country. Miss Johnes, 611 Belleville Street, City.

REFINED Englishwoman as housekeeper to widower; with or without children. Box 1239 Colonist.

WANTED—Practical nursing, by the day. 4471O.

EDUCATIONAL 6

B.C. DRAMATIC SCHOOL—Classes full. Reservations made for vacancies.

COLLEGIATE SCHOOL, Victoria, B.C.—Preparatory school for boys. Individual attention. Prospectus on application. Phone 62.

ENGINEERS coached for certificates. W. G. Winterburn, 951 Central Bldg.

EXPERIENCED schoolmaster, B.A. Cambridge, gives tuition in Latin, French, Greek, English. A. Averill, 1503 Rockland Avenue. Phone 6138R.

NORTH Vancouver School for Girls—Healthy location; moderate fees. Principal Miss Philip, 1901 Lonsdale Avenue. Particulars and prospectus, phone 7333X, Victoria.

ROCKLANDS Academy, affiliated with Sprott-Shaw School—Complete courses leading to any Canadian or American University. Alex. G. Smith, M.A., headmaster. James H. Beatty, manager.

SPROTT-SHAW, 1015 Douglas Street—Courses: Commercial, Stenography, Secretarial, Radiotelegraphy, Preparatory, etc. Day school, night school. Jas. H. Beatty, managing director. Telephone 28.

SHORTHAND SCHOOL, 1011 Government Street. Business subjects, thorough tuition. E. A. MacMillan, principal. Phone 374.

MUSIC 7

COLUMBIA SCHOOL OF MUSIC won the highest honors and gained the greatest number of passes in Victoria in Summer examinations of Royal Academy. Tuition by trained teachers in Singing (Italian method), Piano, Violin, Theory, Harmony, Elocution. Pupils' monthly recital. 1169 Broad St., opp. Times Building. Phone 7379.

BANJO, MANDOLIN, GUITAR, and all stringed instruments taught by W. G. Plowright, 1116 Broad Street. Phone 1953. Res. phone 1111Y1. Hours, 1 to 6 p.m., except Saturdays.

DOMINION Academy Music, Fort and Cook. Madame Webb, L.R.M. 131 successes last year, including L.A.B.; highest in city. Pupils' monthly recitals. Phone 1921.

VICTORIA Conservatory of Music—Violin, Drury Pryce; voice, Mary McCoy Jameson, piano, Merton Hemling, Rita Ormiston; 'cello, Harold Taylor. Studios, 1614 Douglas. Phone 1414.

VIOLIN

ERNEST SEMPLE, violinist and teacher. Phones 3647 and 3147.

PIANO

ADAM BOYD—Piano, singing, theory. 1309 Yates. $4.00 per month. Phone 6937L.

MISS M. ROBERTS, teacher of piano, organ and theory. 2631 Blackwood Avenue.

TO EXCHANGE 8

IF you have property you wish to exchange see Charles F. Eagles, 311 Sayward Block.

WANTED—Victoria houses and Vancouver Island acreage in exchange for first-class Prairie farms. Harry Amphlett, 315 Union Bank Bldg. Phone 5900.

$6,500—Four houses in good town in Sask. Rented and paying good interest. Trade on city property or acreage close in. F. F. Higgs, 208 Pemberton Bldg.

DRESSMAKING 9

DRESSMAKING—Blouses, kimonos and alterations promptly done. Room 13, 1414 Yates Street.

DRESSMAKING and millinery. Satisfaction guaranteed. Also evening classes. Mrs. Macmurchie, 2401 Cook Street. Phone 3208Y.

LADIES' hats made, stylish and reasonable. Also flowers. Mrs. Perry. Phone 6871L.

MISS BLAND, 1115 Quadra Street (near Fort). Dressmaking and tailoring. Phone 4837L.

WOMAN'S Institute—Successful correspondence courses in dressmaking, millinery and cookery. Write or phone for free information. Box 7171, Colonist. Phone 6956R.

MISCELLANEOUS 10

ALL your trash will bring you cash, such as rags, bottles; also tools, stoves, furniture, or anything else. We call anywhere and pay best prices. Phone 6199.

ANYTHING in house repairs. Roofs repaired and tarred. Work guaranteed. Estimates free. Phone 7276, 2316L.

D. F. SPRINKLING, ladies' and gents' tailoring, remodeling and renovating, dyeing. Phone 6100, McGregor Block.

DANGEROUS trees topped and felled by reliable people. Phone 9442R1.

PAINTING, paperhanging, kalsomining, glazing. J. J. Ross, 964 Pembroke, cor. Quadra. Phone 5309.

PAINTING, paperhanging and kalsomining. F. H. Ross. Phone 4313.

SKATES hollow ground. Carver & Son, 937 Fort.

SAFETY razor blades resharpened; razors honed and set, 35c. F. L. Cox, 637 Fort.

SAWS, all kinds, filed, set, gummed, etc. Phone W. Emery, 1467 Gladstone Ave.

TO RENT—MISCELLANEOUS 11

OAK BAY—Store, with or without living accommodation; suit any business; cheap rent. Owner, 2000 Oak Bay Avenue.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS 13

CLOTHING, FURS, ETC.

A LADY'S nice Persian lamb coat, knee length, in perfect condition; size 10; very cheap. Phone 3100X.

CLOSING out all of our stock, half price. Suits, coats, dresses, skirts, sweaters, kimonas, etc. The Famous Store.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

A NEW Heintzman piano for sale. Apply 434 Michigan Street.

A GOOD-TONED piano, new Sohmer, $375. 'Cello, $556. Violin outfit, $15. Slide cornet, $15. Hickling's, 741 Pandora.

COTTAGE piano, excellent tone. 2741 Foul Bay Road, near Mount Tolmie.

$225—MASON & RISCH piano, in excellent condition. Phone 2275R.

SMALL piano, in splendid condition; snap, $56. Tyldesley's, 749 Fort.

FURNITURE

BRUSSELS rug, 9 ft. x 12 ft., pretty design, like new, bargain, $21. Island Exchange, 736 Fort Street.

BARGAINS in good sizes rugs, carpets and runners, all sizes. Carpeteria Co., 921 Fort Street.

BARGAIN—Singer sewing machine, A1 condition, $15. Hoosier kitchen cabinet, $20. Carter's, 631 Bay, corner Government Street.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS 13
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LARGE wardrobe, with two drawers, like new, $19.50. Island Exchange, 739 Fort Street.

MISSION oak hall stand, bevel mirror, $9.36. Tyldesley's, 749 Fort.

OAK combination desk and bookcase, in good order; only $17.30. Island Exchange, 739 Fort Street.

OAK hall stand, with bevelled mirror; in good condition, only $13.30. Island Exchange, 739 Fort Street.

SNAP—Large mahogany pedestal table, in good condition, only $37.50. Oddy's, 1613 Douglas Street.

3 PIECE mahogany parlor suite, spring seats, only $27.50. Tyldesley's, 749 Fort.

RADIO

RADIO TUBES AT NEW LOW PRICES
AT
SUN ELECTRIC CO.
1306 DOUGLAS, AT YATES

WARREN Junior Loud Speakers, $13.56. Western Canada Radio Supply, Ltd., 643 Fort Street, Victoria. Phone 1940.

199 AND 201A Tubes, $3.00. Crowther Bros., 932 Yates Street.

MISCELLANEOUS

ALL black soil, clay and manure delivered; ploughing, harrowing and general teaming done. Phone 19e, or apply 1846 Kings Road.

BOOK of Knowledge, new, beautiful leather binding. Sacrifice for cash. Box 4066, Colonist.

BARGAIN—Pair of old Cloisonne wall plaques, 15 ins., only $13 pair. Oddy's, 1615 Douglas Street.

BABY Carriage Exchange, 913 Fort, near Vancouver. New and used carriages, all styles. Lowest prices in town. Repairs. Phone 4619R2.

BLACK soil and manure delivered; general teaming done. Phone 7469L3. J. M. McGee.

BABY carriage, English, like new, $50; sulky, good condition, $6.50. Phone 4616R2.

BARRELS, all sizes and purposes. Wilkinson, cooper, 341 Gorge Rd., and Market.

THE RECORD EXCHANGE
577 JOHNSON ST. PHONE 330

VICTOR COLUMBIA PATHE

BRING us the records you are tired of. We will exchange them for you, charging you 10c each for this service. Or we will sell you guaranteed records at 3 for $1.

EDISON BLUE AMBEROL CYLINDER RECORDS
3 FOR $1. EXCHANGED, 10c EACH
NOTE THE NUMBER

CARPETS, every description, guaranteed clean and sterilized. Largest stock in city. See ours before purchasing. Island Window and Carpet Cleaning Co., 917 Fort Street. Phone 3615.

COAL and coke, 75c per sack. Dry kindling wood, 4 boxes, $1. William Osgood. Phone 2620.

D.H. SINGER machine, almost new, $25; hand machine, $16.50; malleable steel range, $36; new Kodak, No. 1A, $16, cost $25. Winchester .22 repeater, $13.56. Botten, 513A Fort.

DIAMOND ring, 3-stone, perfect, snap at $53. Phone 7561L3, or Box 1331, Colonist.

FOR Sale—A few used range bargains at B. C. Hardware, 719 Fort Street.

FOR Sale—Rifle, Win., .30-30, $16; shotgun, 12-gauge, D.B., $17.50; cowhide suitcases, $13.50; genuine old violin, by Hopf, $50; Hohner accordion, $11.75; microscope, $9.75; sample suitcases, $1.75; 53-piece condensers, $5.75; phones, 4105 ohms, $4.56; sample razor strops, 75c; French pearl necklaces, $2.75; crystal set, $4.56; Prisma field glasses, $6.75; outer tires, new, $1.75; inner tubes, new, 75c; boy's bicycle, $15.56; gent's Perfect bicycle, $17.56; all bicycle lamps, 50c; gold-filled spectacles, to fit any sight, $1.75. Jacob Aaronson's New and Second-Hand Store, 551 Johnson St., 4 doors below Government St. Phone 735.

FOR sale—Underwood typewriter, No. 5, 12 in. Almost new. Would take smaller portable in trade. Box 1239 Colonist.

IF you want a ½ or ¼ ton of best Wellington coal in a hurry, phone 2956. William Osgood.

LARGE double oven range, large salmon net. Mac's Store, 1415 Store Street.

LARGE pantechnicon vans, suitable for poultry farms, camps, garages, outhouses, etc., $20 each. Phone 1611.

MAILING list of 1,950 well-to-do Vancouver residents specially prepared by reliable Vancouver authorities. Price of list, $23, which will not be sold to any two people or firms in the same line of business. If addressing only is required, our charge is $10 per thousand for supplying the names and addressing. Newton Advertising Agency, Suite 24, Winch Bldg., City.

MALLEABLE steel range, $2 per week. Phone 4669. 1454 Douglas Street.

NOW IS THE TIME to get your Spring cleaning started. We sell or rent Vacuum cleaners.
SUN ELECTRIC CO.
1306 DOUGLAS, AT YATES

OAK BAY—Coal, 76c per sack, delivered. Phone Oak Bay Transfer, 3923.

RANGES sold, repaired, traded, moved, connected, coils made. Southall, 751 Fort.

SOOT for sale, 56 cents per sack, delivered. Large quantities special rates. Caley, chimney sweep. Phone 4726.

USED lumber for sale at 565 Herald St., or phone Geo. Dodd, 5577L.

WARDROBE trunk, latest style, little used, $17.60. Island Exchange, 739 Fort Street.

100 CIRCULAR letters, including stationery, $3.99 to $3.06; following hundreds at 50c. Newton Advertising Agency, 24 Winch Bldg.

Established 1908

"Advertising is to business as steam is to machinery"

"IS IT MADE IN VICTORIA?"

That's the question to ask your store. If it's not made in Victoria, then ask if it's made in B.C. Support home industries and we'll enjoy larger payrolls. If what you want isn't made in Canada, inquire if it is not made in some other part of the Empire. YOU demand Victoria, B.C., Canadian or British goods

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Suite 24, Winch Bldg. Phone 1915

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS 14

Phone 2154. MRS. JOWITT. 861 Fort. The SECOND Discarded Clothing Store above Blanshard. Look for the BLUE signboard. We buy. Don't mistake the store. We call.

ABOUT 23 sq. yds. battleship lino, in good order. Box 4282, Colonist.

ABSOLUTELY best cash prices paid for ladies', gentlemen's and children's good-class DISCARDED CLOTHING. Phone 3609, or call Mrs. Wardale, 1605 Douglas St.

ABSOLUTELY HIGHEST PRICES PAID for rags, bottles, tools, stoves, furniture, or anything you wish to dispose of. We call anywhere, any time. Phone 6199.

ABSOLUTELY best prices paid for good-class furniture, carpets, ranges, china and silverware. Phone 2465.

DIAMONDS and old jewelry. Aaronson's, 551 Johnson Street. Phone 735.

DON'T Hesitate—Phone 2408 if you have any furniture you wish to dispose of. Our representative will call and offer current prices. Island Exchange, 739 Fort St.

Double Service in Want Ads

You can telephone your answers, as well as your classified advertisements to The Colonist. Readers are often interested in Want Advertisements that do not carry the names or addresses of advertisers, but a Colonist box number. For the accommodation of those readers who find it inconvenient to write an answer, and to serve the advertiser better, we will take replies to Box Numbers over the telephone.

The Colonist Service is available from 8 a.m. to 10 p.m., excepting Sundays. Phone 11.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS 14
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GENTLEMEN'S DISCARDED CLOTHING BOUGHT
BEST PRICES PAID WE CALL
SHAW & CO.
736 FORT STREET PHONE 401

HAND cultivator, with seeder attached. J. Cordingly, R.R. No. 4, Victoria.

PHONE 6186—WE PAY BEST PRICES for bottles, rags, tools, stoves, furniture, or anything else you wish to dispose of. We call anywhere, any time. Try us.

RETURNED soldier buys anything, calls anywhere, any time. Pays best prices. Phone 838, night 9540L.

RAGS, bottles, furniture, old clothes, junk, etc. Best prices. Phone 3142X1.

WANTED—Wee McGregor log saw. Apply Box 4273, Colonist.

WANTED—Some good furniture for dining-room, parlor and bedroom, for cash. Box 5205, Colonist.

ROOM AND BOARD 15

AT 1209 Yates Street—A nice bedroom, with board. Suit one or two gentlemen. Phone 5593R.

A FEW vacancies at Alexandra House; excellent cuisine, moderate rates. Phone 2978.

ABERDEEN HOTEL, 941 McClure—Private boarding house, steam heat, hot and cold water in rooms, white cooking. Phone 1613.

A COSY suite, facing south, modern conveniences; seven minutes to Postoffice. Excellent home cooking. 636 Superior St.

A COMFORTABLE home with best home cooking, inclusive rates, moderate. Therese, 324 Douglas. Phone 7511O.

BOARD residence for one gentleman at 1146 Rockland Avenue. Phone 2935L.

BOARD-RESIDENCE, modern, reasonable terms. Phone 5742O. 480 Superior.

ETHEWOLD, 796 Cook—A real home at attractive rates. 9631L.

FIRWOOD Lodge, 605 Cook Street—First-class room and board. Phone 1196.

LADY can accommodate paying guests; white cooking; heated; central; garage. Phone 1864L.

ROOM and partial board with quiet couple. Walking distance of city. Apply 5636 Work Street.

ROOM and board in Oak Bay, near car line. Phone 1219R.

TWO large bed sitting rooms, board or use of kitchen; garage. Phone 7267R.

418 MENZIES Street—Select room and board, hot and cold water in rooms. Phone 3123X.

$7 WEEK—Good room and board, 738 Pisgard Street. Phone 6049X. Near Hudson's Bay.

1050 SOUTHGATE—Select room and board, all modern conveniences; close to car, city and park. Phone 5973L.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT 18

RITZ HOTEL—Clean, cosy rooms, fully modern. Rates from $1. Special rates by the week. 710 Fort. Phone 61.

VERY comfortable bed-sitting-room, with fireplace. 964 Dallas Road. Phone 715R.

$5 A MONTH and up—Unfurnished or furnished rooms, flats and cabins. 1039 Hillside.

743 VANCOUVER—Rooms, with breakfast; housekeeping rooms; furnace; fireplace. Central. Phone 1937R.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS TO RENT 19

AT 1209 Yates Street—Nice room, suitable for housekeeping; gas. Phone 5593R.

A BRIGHT room, with housekeeping privileges, near Parliament Buildings. 438 Belmeken Street.

CLOSE James Bay Hotel—Warm, select rooms, every convenience, garage. Phone 5009Y.

COMFORTABLY furnished housekeeping rooms, sea view; also bed-sitting-room, furnished. Phone 2579R.

DELHI HOTEL—Housekeeping and single rooms. 617 Yates St. Mrs. Shelton.

HOVE LODGE—Housekeeping rooms; children not objected to. Phone 7569O. 516 Michigan Street.

HOUSEKEEPING rooms, electric light, hot and cold water, steam heat, gas, elevator service, $5 to $16 per month. The Griffith Co., Ltd., Hibben-Bone Bldg. Phone 1462.

ONE or two housekeeping or furnished rooms, cheap. 1157 Johnson St. Phone 6694L.

ST. HELENS, 999 Courtney St. (opposite Cathedral)—Housekeeping rooms and apartments. Rooms for transients. Phone 5661O.

2-ROOM housekeeping suites, clean and bright; low rent. Apply 510 Pandora Ave. Phone 951.

FLATS AND APARTMENTS TO RENT 21

A BRIGHT unfurnished four-roomed apartment, overlooking park; plenty heat and hot water; garage. Phone 9677L or 3677R.

AT LeRoy Apartments—Fully furnished three-room suites; reasonable rent. 503 Montreal.

ATTRACTIVE, sunny, front suite, furnished or unfurnished. Stanley Apartments, Linden Avenue.

A FURNISHED suite, heated, fireplaces, gas, phone; near Parliament Buildings. 456 Quebec Street.

AT Normandie Apartments, corner Cook and Belmoral Road—Furnished suite.

AT 919 Vancouver—Suite or single rooms; furnace; furnished or unfurnished.

AT Mt. Edwards, Vancouver St.—Front furnished flat for rent. Phone 5812.

AT Wick Building, Oak Bay Avenue—Three-room suite, steam heated; low rental. Apply Janitor.

AT Morrison Apartments, corner Hilda and Chester, Fairfield—Large suite, heated, also fireplace.

BEVERLEY Building, 724 Yates Street. We have an outside furnished 3-room suite, unlimited steam heat, hot water, electric light, elevator, gas. Managed by Jos. A. Griffith. Phone 5478L.

CLOSE James Bay Hotel, 569 Toronto—Furnished flat, every convenience. Phone 5005Y.

CYN-DO-MYR Apartments—Largest and best furnished apartments in the city. 450 Michigan Street. Phone 9537L.

CARLTON—Nice heated furnished suites; week or month. 711 Pandora. 5622O.

CORAL Court, 451 Simcoe Street—One unfurnished suite, every convenience. Phone 5964.

FURNISHED suite, modern, large veranda, close in. 1097 Collinson. Phone 6566.

FRONT suite to rent, suitable for couple or 2 or 3 business girls, or teachers or nurses. Can't be beat in city. Apply Mt. Douglas Apartments, Oak Bay Junction.

FURNISHED apartment—Kitchen, bedroom, range, sink, gas; $55. 1551 Pandora. Phone 6709L.

FIELD Apartments, modern, furnished; three-roomed suites; steam heat; private baths.

SYLVESTER APARTMENTS
Furnished Housekeeping Rooms
Single or En Suite
Steam Heat—Hot and Cold Water
Sylvester Block, 715 Yates St. Phone 5883O

"ROSTREVOR"—Furnished single apartment, hot water heated. Phone 1422.

FLATS AND APARTMENTS TO RENT 21
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SEE our advertisement, Home and Dairy Business, in "Houses for Sale" column. Victoria Realty Co., 219-217 Central Bldg. Phone 5030.

SUNNY five-room suite, bathroom, pantry, laundry; large garden, chicken house; low rental. Look this over at 1149 Haultain Street.

THE Linden—Nice warm three-roomed unfurnished suite. 1160 May Street.

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H. MILNE, mechano-therapist (manipulation treatment). 407 Union Bank Bldg. Phone 2027.

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ESQUIMALT Nursing and Convalescent Home, 467 Lampson Street. Maternity and general nursing. Invalids given expert care. One acre nice grounds. Phones 4660 and 3000L.

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SWEDISH massage, mechanical therapeutics, radiant heat, electricity. Hours, 10-5 and 7:00-8:30 p.m. Phone 6404, 0810L. G. Bjornefelt, S.M., 610-17 Pemberton Blk.

HOUSES FOR SALE 39

MILL BAY WATERFRONT

A SPLENDID chance for private hotel—8 rooms, modern, with 6 bedrooms, overlooking the waters; large living-room and kitchen; one acre of nice garden soil, splendid beach; fishing all year round; boating, shooting and bathing. Should make a real money-maker for live couple. Price $5,000.

COWICHAN—A charming little ranch of 10 acres, first-class land; new bungalow, and outbuildings. Price $3,700.

CROSS & CO.
Belmont House Opposite P.O.

A BEAUTIFUL 10-roomed house, best residential section in city, consisting 5 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, 2 drawing-rooms, fireplaces, lovely electric light fixtures; dining-room; kitchen; den and hall panelled (den has big red brick fireplace). Furnace; garage; garden; cement cellar. $3,000 cash will handle, balance arranged. Phone 5176L.

COMFORTABLE 5-room house, near Portage Inlet, with lot 30x170, and chicken house. Price only $1,300. L. U. Conyers & Co.

MODERN FURNISHED HOMES FOR SALE

EIGHT rooms, in first-class residential district, fully furnished. Living-room with large open fireplace, inglenook, beamed ceiling and window seat; den with open fireplace and window seat; dining-room is also beamed and panelled, open fireplace, window seat, and has a very attractive built-in buffet in oak; pass pantry to kitchen, which opens out to full-sized back veranda. Large bathroom, with very finest fixtures, finished in white with beautiful tiled floor. There are four bedrooms, three upstairs and one down, with dressing-room. All the bedrooms are large and have good-sized clothes closets, linen closet and cedar-lined closet; also large sleeping porch. The whole house throughout is fitted with beautiful electric light fixtures. Some of the features that we would like to mention include reception hall, beamed and panelled, and with tile floor. All fireplaces have overmantels finished in oak, with tiled floor in front and hammered brass fixtures. Full-sized cement basement, with hot air furnace and porcelain laundry tubs. Good garage. At present vacant; can be seen any time. Price $6,500, with terms to suit purchaser.

EIGHT rooms and reception hall; four very fine bedrooms, large and airy, all with good closets; toilet and bathroom separate; excellent kitchen and pantry; living-room, dining-room and den have all large open fireplaces; extra features include built-in buffet, bookcases, panelled walls and beamed ceilings. Exceptionally fine basement, concrete walls and floor. In the basement is an extra toilet and laundry-room, with tubs and laundry chutes; hot air furnace. This house is as good as new, and has been well looked after; beautifully located, with a view that is unsurpassed; situated on two large lots in garden, lawn and fruits. Fully furnished from top to bottom, including very fine piano. A real bargain. Price $7,500, on terms.

GILLESPIE, HART & TODD, LTD.
711 Fort Street Phone 6040

ESQUIMALT—Bungalow, 4 large rooms and stairway to attic, where two more rooms can be finished, basement, cement; outbuildings; good lot; only half block from car. Taxes $16. Owner will sell for $2,000, on terms of $300 cash and $22 per month, including interest at six per cent (no mortgage).

BURNSIDE—Good, high location. Fully modern bungalow of five rooms, bath, pantry and basement; garage; large lot, with fruit trees and small fruits. Low taxes. Price only $3,000. Terms arranged.

DUNFORD'S, LTD.
304 Pemberton Block
(F. R. Carlow, Manager)

EASTER RD., Saanich—Well-built four-room house, open fireplace; good garden, fruit trees, etc. Splendid value at $900, terms.

MACNICOL & KERR REALTY CO.
Central Bldg. Phone 2470

4-ROOM COTTAGE, $950

FERNWOOD district, near car terminus; facing south, on rich garden lot. Well-appearing 4-room bungalow, hot and cold water, electric light, new enamel sink, bath and toilet. Outbuildings. Home in A1 condition. Total price $950. Cash down $150, balance very easy terms.

SUITABLE FOR HOME, APARTMENTS OR INVESTMENT

CLOSE to Central School, this 9-room home, on concrete foundations, can be used ideally for apartments, having gas installed upstairs. Consists of entrance hall; large living-room, dining-room, both with fireplaces; kitchen and Summer kitchen; toilet downstairs. Upstairs, four good-sized bedrooms, big airy dressing-rooms, wardrobes; modern 6-piece bathroom, extra good fixtures. Outbuilding suitable for garage. On lot fully fenced. On terms, $6,300.

VICTORIA REALTY CO.
210-217 Central Bldg. Phone 2030
"RELIABLE REALTORS"

FAIRFIELD—8-roomed house of splendid construction, near sea and cars. The hall is panelled and beamed; large drawing-room with sliding doors to dining-room, built-in buffet; den, 2 bedrooms, bath, separate toilet, wood lift, etc. Veranda half glassed-in. On two large lots; tennis court, garage, etc. Unexcelled value at $8,000. MONEY TO LOAN on improved property at current rates at first mortgages. For further particulars apply to P. V. WINCH & CO., Ltd., Real Estate, Insurance and Financial Agents. Winch Bldg., Fort Street.

HOUSES built on instalment plan. Modern homes for sale on easy terms. D. H. BALE, Contractor
Fort and Stadacona Phone 1140

To Out-of-Town Subscribers

Out-of-town subscribers who wish to answer advertisements in which only the telephone number of the advertiser is given, may mail their replies to The Colonist, and The Colonist will communicate such replies to the advertiser.

HOUSES FOR SALE 39
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MODERN FAIRFIELD HOME, WITH GARAGE, $2,650

A 6-ROOM, VERY COMFORTABLE HOME; reception hall, large living-room with a very nice open fireplace; sliding doors to dining-room, which is panelled; built-in buffet; large kitchen; 3 nice bright bedrooms; 6-piece bathroom; full cement basement and hot air furnace. Gas can be had if desired. The property is very pleasantly situated, facing south, with view of sea and mountains. Full-size cement runway to garage. Undoubtedly a snap at only $2,650. Terms.

B.C. LAND & INVESTMENT AGENCY, LIMITED
922 Government St. Phone 125

OAK BAY BUNGALOW BARGAIN

FULLY modern 6 rooms; 3 bedrooms, bathroom between; dining-room and living-room with fireplace, en suite; breakfast-room; cement basement, furnace; garage. All in excellent condition. Reduced to only $3,750. BAGSHAWE & CO.

HOME SNAP in a well-built, almost new bungalow; has entrance hall with cloak closet; cosy den with open fire; built-in features to dining and living-rooms; bright Dutch kitchen with every convenience; two bedrooms, large bathroom, big attic; trellised porch; full cement basement with new furnace, wash tubs, fuel bins and work bench; fine garden lot, 100x150, with good poultry house, fruit trees, garage, cement driveway and walks. Cost $4,500, now reduced to very low price of $3,150.

TWO OAK BAY LOTS, close to beach and car. Price $950 for the two. Snap these up.

J. B. LIVSEY
(Successor to Grant & Lineham)
604 Sayward Block Tel. 606

HOME AND DAIRY BUSINESS, close in, established 10 years by present owner. Returns over $200 per month, all retail. Purchase price includes substantial 6-room bungalow, with 3-piece bath; full cement basement. On ¾ acre first-class land, 150 feet frontage, on good road. Outbuildings comprise barn for 6 head and dairy building with cement floors. Five cows. Stock of feed and all utensils included in price. $2,000 cash will handle. Total price $4,500. Thoroughly recommended. VICTORIA REALTY CO., 210-217 Central Bldg. Phone 2030. "RELIABLE REALTORS."

BRETT & KER, LTD.
623 Fort Street Phone 166
Real Estate, Financial and Insurance Agents

OAK BAY—SOUTH OF THE AVENUE

IN this popular district we are offering one of the best homes. The house is surrounded by two large lots, with double garage and driveway, rustic arbors entwined with roses, and beautiful lawn studded with oaks.

Consideration of the main rooms was a feature in the planning of this residence, which shows side porch opening into reception hall (with cloak closet), giving access to the upper rooms, rear hall, and by draw doors to the reception-room. This room extends across the entire front, and with its double main windows, polished oak floor and fireplace constitutes one of the many desirable features of the home.

The dining-room and den also have fireplaces and oak floors with matched borders, and adjoin by double doors. Pass pantry complete in detail, finished in enamel, as also cabinet kitchen, constitute main floor.

Upstairs, five well-proportioned bedrooms, each with closet; bathroom and toilet open off main landing. These rooms have many special features, including dressing mirrors, wash basins, etc., while one has a fireplace. The landing also opens on an open porch.

This place is of imposing appearance, of stucco construction, with full basement; hot water heating plant, trays, second toilet, servants' quarters, and fully equipped vacuum plant.

PRICE $16,500.
Inspection by appointment only.

LINDEN AVE., near Fort St.—8-room house, 2 bathrooms, hot water heat; garage. Price $6,000. Leeming Bros., Ltd. Phone 746. 604 Pemberton Bldg.

MR. HOMESEEKER—Here is your chance to get a modern 5-room house, near Yates and Fort; good garage; only $3,000.

FAIRFIELD DISTRICT—6-room bungalow, high location, local improvements all paid. Only $3,100, easy terms.

BEACON HILL PARK—7-room California stucco bungalow; living-room 14 ft. by 26 ft., hardwood floors; breakfast nook, in fact, very modern. A bargain, only $5,000.

E. E. HEATH
615 Yates Street Phone 274

OAK BAY—We never advertise specifically unless we have a really good bargain. The following we recommend: Five rooms, high location, nicely arranged; very fine fireplace in sitting-room; fully modern, and within one block of the street car. Good district. Price $3,200, on terms.

ALFRED CARMICHAEL & CO., LTD.
604 Fort St. Phone 2200

OAK BAY, close to the Avenue—Choice bungalow, all built-in features, 5 large rooms, garage, nice lot; snap at $6,500. Foul Bay, 7 rooms, modern, hardwood floors, basement, furnace, built-in features, etc.; lot 70 x 240, with poultry house for 200 birds; a real home of this kind at $5,300. Dunfords, Ltd., 304 Pemberton. F. R. Carlow, Manager.

A REDUCTION OF $3,000

UNAVOIDABLE circumstances make it essential that we at once dispose of what is unquestionably one of the most beautiful homes in the Fairfield district. This is considered as one of Victoria's "better class" of homes, and a personal inspection is really necessary before its many attractive features can be appreciated.

SOLID STONE AND STUCCO CONSTRUCTION

There are 6 fine, large rooms, containing every possible comfort and convenience, heavily beamed ceilings, richly panelled walls, built-in features, fireplaces, conservatory, etc.

HOT WATER HEATING SYSTEM

Full cement basement, Chinaman's room and laundry tubs. Lot 72 ft. x 100 ft., all in garden. Good street, in high-class residential locality, near Beacon Hill Park and the sea. Original price $11,000. For immediate sale, REDUCED TO $8,000

SWINERTON & MUSGRAVE
Real Estate, Rents, Money to Loan and Insurance 640 Fort Street

NORTH QUADRA STREET
CHOICE RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY

UP-TO-DATE residence, containing 6 rooms, with built-in features, open fireplace, beamed ceilings, large reception-room, cement basement, stone foundation. Garage. 50 large assorted fruit trees and plenty of small fruits. Size of property ⅓ of an acre, highly cultivated. Several beautiful oak trees. This property is nicely situated and has a good view. Price (terms to arrange) $6,500. Exclusive agents.

H. G. DALBY & CO.
604 View Opp. Spencer's

WE have inquiries for 5, 6 and 7-room houses in Fairfield, James Bay and Oak Bay. If you want to sell and your price is reasonable, phone Crown Realty & Investment Co., No. 940.

LOOK—No Interest Nor Rent; Almost New

$1500—$500 DOWN and $20 per month. Absolutely modern 5-roomed home, porcelain bath, basin and sink; pantry with tip bins and shelves, swing door into dining-room; inside connection with cement basement. Lot 40x110. Taxes only $42. 1¼-mile circle; block from car. Clear title. Newly painted.

Note—Business is good; ring in your listings.

PATTERSON REALTY
652 Yates Phone 970

SPECIAL GARDEN CITY SNAP

$1500—WE offer you today one of the biggest snaps on the market. A fine home, consisting of sitting-room, dining-room, kitchen, pantry, 3 bedrooms, bath, glassed-in study, large conservatory, situate on two large lots, total size 132x132, excellent soil, nice gentle slope, well protected, land all cleared. There is also a fine sleeping porch and a large double garage, work bench, etc. If you want a good home for practically nothing, see us about this one. Terms arranged if necessary.

Listings appreciated. "Homes Our Specialty"
Commercial & Financial Corporation, Ltd.
??? Fort St Phone 613

HOUSES FOR SALE 39
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PEMBERTON & SON
Pemberton Bldg. Phone 306

VICTOR STREET BARGAIN — Price $3,100—A modern 6-room bungalow, concrete basement, open fireplace, 3 bedrooms, good bathroom.

BOLESKINE ROAD—Price $4,100—Just outside city limits; low taxes. A 7-room semi-bungalow, with good-sized living-room with open fireplace, dining-room, kitchen and pantry, and two bedrooms and bathroom downstairs. Hot air furnace. In good condition.

BEECHWOOD AVENUE, Hollywood District—Price $3,600—A bungalow with a sea view, containing 5 well-arranged rooms, modern plumbing, hot air furnace. Close to car line.

YALE STREET, Oak Bay—Price $3,500—Close to Oak Bay Avenue—5-room bungalow, containing entrance hall, sitting-room, dining-room, kitchen and pantry, 2 bedrooms and bathroom; basement.

Phone 306 for further particulars.

PEMBERTON & SON
Real Estate, Financial and Insurance Agents
622 Fort Street, Victoria, B.C.

$2500 — UP-TO-THE-MINUTE 5-room bungalow, comprising entrance hall, reception-room with open fire, dining-room panelled and beamed, with built-in buffet; bright kitchen, wash-up sink in pantry; two bedrooms and bathroom; cement basement with furnace. Pretty front lawn with flower borders, and rear garden. Two minutes to street car and school. TERMS.

$2100—UP-TO-DATE James Bay bungalow, reception-room with open fire, sliding doors to dining-room; kitchen and pantry, with tiled wash-up sink; two bedrooms with full-length mirrors; full bathroom; basement. Garden with fruits and small fruits. Nice walking distance to town; near sea.

HARRY AMPHLETT
212 Union Bank Bldg. Phone 5900

HOMES OUR SPECIALTY

$3600—OAK BAY—New and modern 5-room stucco bungalow; front hall, living-room with open fireplace, built-in bookcases; dining-room, built-in buffet; kitchen with built-in effects; 2 good bedrooms with closets, linen closet; cement basement.

THE CITY BROKERAGE
(A. T. Abbey, Mgr.)
628 View Street Phone 215

ALL GOOD VALUE FOR MONEY

$3750 OR NEAR OFFER—Good five-roomed bungalow, just off Oak Bay Avenue. Two large lots, fine garden; number of fruit trees, including apples, pears and cherries; also some nice shade trees, lawns and hedges. This is a neat home, and, although close to car, has plenty of privacy. Terms arranged.

$3400—GOOD, modern, up-to-date bungalow, close to Jubilee Hospital, conveniently arranged and all conveniences. Good big lot, with extra depth running to lane at rear. Everything in first-class condition.

$3700 OR OFFER—OAK BAY BUNGALOW, close to school and car; extra large living-room with open fireplace; nice sunny dining-room; good kitchen; 3 bedrooms and 3-piece bathroom. Full cement basement and new furnace. Terms arranged.

HEISTERMAN, FORMAN & CO.
606 View Street Phone 22

$10,000—OVERLOOKING THE SEA—A STATELY RESIDENCE—Exceptionally fine workmanship throughout. 9 large rooms, sleeping porch, two bathrooms in white tiles. HARDWOOD FLOORS AND HOT WATER HEATING. Plate-glass windows. Gas for cooking, and Ruud heater. Near car. House cost more than twice amount asked.

$8500—MOST DESIRABLE OAK BAY RESIDENCE, half acre garden, oak trees and tennis court; garage; near car line. Stately entrance hall, beautifully panelled and beamed. Wide open fireplace. Drawing-room finished in ivory, with art fireplace, wide casement windows, with upholstered seats; dining-room beamed and panelled to match reception hall. These three rooms give a wide expanse of very fine polished floors. Very handsome stairway (also back stairway) to second floor, where there are 4 exceptionally large, bright bedrooms, with extensive closets and sleeping porch; bathroom in white enamel. Everything about the premises is in splendid repair, and could not be duplicated for double the price.

$5500 — ATTRACTIVE SEMI-BUNGALOW OF 6 ROOMS. Living-room is exceptionally handsome and well-proportioned, being 13x23 feet; square reception hall and panelled dining-room; 4 bedrooms and large bathroom. HOT WATER HEATING AND GAS FOR COOKING. ALSO RUUD HEATER. Splendidly polished floors. Garden is very pleasing, with fine shade trees. This property is well worth $10,000, and is like new. Arrange for me to show you over this home at once. It will pay you to do so.

$1750—LARGE FOUR-ROOM BUNGALOW, attic and basement, bath, toilet and pantry. Stands high. Good value.

$850—COTTAGE, with four rooms, bath and toilet. Fine garden. Close in. A pick-up at this price.

G. C. HOWELL 106 Pemberton Bldg.

$675—OAK BAY—Revenue-producing lot with one-room building. This lot is situated in one of the best parts of Oak Bay, with fruit trees, lavender bushes, and holly. Revenue will pay for place in less than two years. Apply F. F. Higgs, 206 Pemberton Bldg.

$1600 — NEWLY decorated 5-roomed bungalow, two bedrooms, bath and toilet, kitchen range, glassed-in porch, full basement and garage. Close to and a nice view of the water.

$400 CASH takes four lots, located close to Oaklands School. Good speculation at this price.

MUTUAL REALTY, 410 Sayward Bldg.

$2800 WILL purchase the neatest 6-roomed CALIFORNIA bungalow ever offered in Victoria; 1 block from sea, 6 blocks from car; entrance hall; spacious, bright living and dining-room, with fireplace and built-in features; large kitchen and pantry, with cupboards, bins, etc.; three bedrooms with clothes cupboards; bathroom in white enamel; cement basement. Small cash payment, balance on easy terms. Listing No. 6016.

THE GRIFFITH CO., LTD.
Phone 1462 101-4 Hibben-Bone Bldg.

6-ROOMED dwelling, with modern conveniences, well situated, standing in 20 acres; 6 acres under cultivation; 1¼ miles from Cowichan Station. A very good buy, open to any reasonable offer.

C. WALLICH
Real Estate and Insurance Agent
Cowichan Station E. & N. Railway

$875—FOUR-ROOM house; bathroom, pantry, veranda, basement; terms $150 cash, bal. $20 per month, 6%.

$1000—MODERN unfinished house of seven rooms, full-size basement. Worth over twice amount asked.

$2800—MODERN 5-room bungalow, close in, Fairfield district. New gas range included.

$5250—NEW, fully modern 3-room house, valued at $7,500; sleeping porch and built-in features.

F. F. HIGGS 206 Pemberton Bldg.

3044 CARROLL STREET—5-roomed modern cottage, $2,500, $000 cash, balance terms. 3024 Carroll St.; 7 rooms, furnished, new, modern house, furnace, wash tubs, two toilets, garage, ¼-acre lot, $5,500; $1,000 cash, balance terms. Apply 314 Russell St. Phone 2181L.

MT. DOUGLAS REALTY
Oak Bay Junction Phone 578

$2800 FOR good 7-roomed dwelling on May Street, fully modern.

MT. DOUGLAS REALTY
Oak Bay Junction Phone 279

PROPERTY WANTED 45

PROPERTY Wanted—We have an immediate buyer for a modern 5-room bungalow, with garage, vicinity of Burnside or Gorge Road; fairly close in preferred. Must be reasonably priced and easy terms.

DUNFORDS, LIMITED,
314 Pemberton Block

FARMS FOR SALE 47

A REAL choice 10 acres of land, all in pasture. Four rooms and other buildings, no stone or rock. Price $1,300. Cross & Co., Belmont House.

ACREAGE FOR SALE 42

CHEAP Acreage, close in—Nearly 20 acres, 6 miles out, on paved road; 10 acres cleared and cultivated, some fine bottom land; small fruit orchard; four-room cottage, large barn and chicken houses. Price, $4,500, on terms. J. Greenwood, 1230 Government Street.

FARMS and acreage of all sizes. F. F. Higgs, 206 Pemberton Bldg.

SEE our advertisement, Home and Dairy Business, in "Houses for Sale" column. Victoria Realty Co., 210-217 Central Bldg. Phone 2030.

READY-MADE CHICKEN FARM FOR NEXT TO NOTHING

TEN acres of absolutely first-class land, all in cultivation, fenced and cross-fenced, modern chicken houses for fifteen hundred birds, brooder houses, etc., small barn. Nice little house of four rooms, and never-failing well. This is a thoroughly practical property in the famous Meadlands district, near the thriving town of Sidney and beautiful Patricia Bay. $4,500, ON TERMS. LITTLE MORE THAN THE VALUE OF BUILDINGS.

HARRY AMPHLETT
212 Union Bank Bldg. Phone 5900

WITHIN 6½-mile circle—Gordon Head—Beautiful stretch of meadow land, 18½ acres, large barn, two-room house and silo. A snap at $6,000.

MACNICOL & KERR REALTY CO.
Central Bldg. Phone 2470

PEMBERTON & SON
Pemberton Bldg. Phone 282

A REAL BARGAIN

3½ ACRES, near the Gorge, just off the Highway. This land is very nicely situated. A gift at the price asked—

$1600

PEMBERTON & SON
Real Estate, Financial and Insurance Agents
625 Fort Street Victoria, B.C.

ACREAGE WANTED 43

WANTED, for client, small ranch for dairying, fruit and chickens. Southern end of Vancouver Island.

A. S. BARTON WISE & CO., LTD.
109-110-111 Pemberton Bldg.
Phone 6601

PROPERTY FOR SALE 44

A FULL-SIZED, good, level lot, on Basil St., just off Blackwood St., one minute to car. Clear title and all taxes paid. Phone 2626Y.

CHEAP lots at Gorge, close to car, 100 x 100, $170 each.

SHELBOURNE ST., close to Hillside, 25x160, $120.

VICTORIA REALTY CO.
210-217 Central Bldg. Phone 2030
"RELIABLE REALTORS"

FARMS FOR RENT 49

FARM for rent as going concern; stock and equipment taken at valuation. Particulars apply E. J. Marks, Brynmarl P.O., Vancouver Island, B.C.

11 ACRES, cultivated, modern 6-room house, with bath and toilet, city water, barns and chicken houses, 650 fruit trees and garden, overlooking sea, near city. Will rent with or without 9 cows and horse. Apply G. C. Howell, 106 Pemberton Bldg.

MONEY TO LOAN 52

AGREEMENTS for sale and mortgages purchased. Money to loan. Foot & Manzer, Barristers, Bank of Nova Scotia Bldg., Victoria.

IN sums ranging from $500 to $50,000, on improved farm and city property. Apply P. R. Brown & Sons, Limited, 1112 Broad Street. Phone 1076.

LOANS, any amount; personal property. David Nelson, 400 Hibben-Bone Bldg. Phone 6766.

MONEY to loan on improved real estate. Swinerton & Musgrave, real estate, insurance and financial agents, 640 Fort Street. Phone 491.

$50,000 TO LOAN on mortgage on improved property, at current rates of interest, in sums to suit. Heisterman, Forman & Co., 606 View St. Phone 55.

WANTED TO BORROW 53

WANTED to loan—$1,500. Will pay 10 per cent, for 12 months only. Apply Box 4385, Colonist.

PERSONAL 56

BABY girl, 3 months old, for adoption. W.C.T.U. Home, 2111 Ida St., City.

FRIENDS of W. S. Hurst, traveler for Ames-Holden and McCready, of Edmonton, will be sorry to hear he was admitted to the Jubilee Hospital, Feb. 6th.

LADY would like to join party driving to California soon. Box 4374, Colonist.

MME. SHERRY, psychologist, phrenologist, lectures in Surrey Block every Thursday evening at 8. For private interview phone 31.

WANTED—Those suffering from the agony of varicose ulcers and kindred complaints to call and interview Varex nurse for particulars of "Varex" Treatment. No pain, no need to lay up. Address, 731 Fort Street.

TIMBER BROKERS 60

LARGE and small tracts of timber, accessible to rail and water, for sale. Wise & Co., Ltd., 106 Pemberton Bldg.

RYAN, McINTOSH, HIBBERSON, BLAIR TIMBER CO., LTD., TIMBER CRUISERS, VALUATORS AND CONSULTING ENGINEERS. Timber for sale in large or small tracts, Crown grant or licence, in any part of the Province. 702 BELMONT HOUSE, VICTORIA.

WE have for sale timber, Crown grant or licence, large or small tracts. Pemberton & Son.

GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT

Notice of Application for Beer Licence

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the 11th day of March next, the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for a Licence in respect of premises being part of the building known as the Coach and Horses Hotel, situate at 1300 Esquimalt Road, Esquimalt District, upon the lands described as part Sub-Lot 30, Esquimalt Land Registration District, in the Province of British Columbia, for the sale of beer by the glass or by the open bottle for consumption on the premises.

Dated this 10th day of February, 1925.

JOHN MORGAN,
Applicant.

GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT

Notice of Application for Beer Licence

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the 21st day of February next, the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for a Licence in respect of premises being part of the building known as the Colwood Hotel, situate at Colwood, Esquimalt District, upon the lands described as Section 1, Parcel L, Victoria Land Registration District, in the Province of British Columbia, for the sale of beer by the glass or by the open bottle for consumption on the premises.

Dated this 11th day of February, 1925.

MAY G. MILLER,
Applicant.

"GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT"

Notice of Application for Beer Licence

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the 14th day of March next, the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for a licence in respect of premises being part of the building situate on the Island Highway and at or near the junction of Goldstream Road and said Island Highway upon the lands described as part of Section One (1), Goldstream District, Province of British Columbia, Victoria Land Registration District, for the sale of beer by the glass or by the open bottle for consumption on the premises.

Dated this 11th day of February, 1925.

WILLIAM GEORGE LEVY,
Applicant.

Chinese insects have been imported to fight farm pests in South Dakota.

The Returned Professional and Business Men's Association of Victoria, B.C.

Respectfully solicits the patronage of local residents in the lines of business hereunder mentioned:

ARCHITECTS
F. L. JAMES, 601 Sayward Building. Phone 6010.
RALPH BERRILL, A.R.I.B.A., 4 Brown Block. Phone 0340.

AUTOMOBILE REPAIRS
THE MECHANICAL MOTOR WORKS, 2013 Oak Bay Avenue. Phone 0944.

AWNING MAKER
GEO. RIGBY, 026 Fisgard Street. Phone 0435.

AUTO PAINTER
VETERANS' AUTO PAINTING WORKS, 2730 Blanshard Street.

BUILDERS' SUPPLIES
JOHNSON BROS., 0741 Avebury Avenue. Phone 4736.

BONDS
G. C. MORRIS, 711 Fort St. Phone 0140.

CARPENTER AND BUILDER
EVANS & GREEN, 1070 Dallas Road. Phone 6062X.

CLOTHIERS
FYVIE BROTHERS, 817 Government Street. Phone 1890.
A. H. C. JONES, with D. F. Sprinkling, corner View and Broad. Phone 4100.

CONCRETE SPECIALISTS AND CONCRETE PRODUCTS
HENSON & CO., 402 Gorge Road. Phones 0547 and 210X.

DENTIST
H. CLARKE, 413 Central Building. Phone 1003.

DOMESTIC REPAIRS OF ALL KINDS
A. G. HORSFIELD, cor. St. Patrick St. and Oak Bay Ave.

ELECTRICIANS
FOX & MAINWARING, Pemberton Building. Phone 0011.

FINANCIAL AGENTS
H. E. HUNNINGS, 019 Central Building. Phone 4464.

LAND SURVEYOR
F. H. ALLWOOD, B.C.L.S., 1710 St. Ann St. Phone 7581L2.

ORCHESTRA AND BAND
A. RUMSBY, Fifth Regiment Band, 631 Niagara Street.

PAINTING AND DECORATING
T. H. RENDELL, 1036 Bay Street. Phone 4570Y.

PLUMBERS
VETERANS' PLUMBING COMPANY, Fort and Langley. Phone 0011.
R. J. COSTELLO, Lake Hill P.O. Phone 0470X.

REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE
W. S. BROWN, 711 B.C. Permanent Loan Building. Phone 6216L.
J. H. GILLESPIE, 711 Fort Street. Phone 2040.
T. B. MONK & CO., 907 B.C. Permanent Loan Bldg. Phone 1070.

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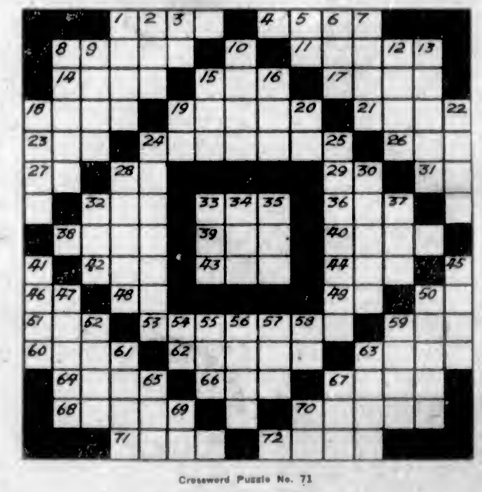
1115-17-19 Fort Street Phone 1611

Machine Guns for Swiss

BERNE, Feb. 12.—The Swiss army has contracted for 5,000 light machine guns to cost 2,250 francs each.

Colonist Crossword Puzzle



Crossword Puzzle No. 71

How to Solve the Puzzle

Each number in the diagram indicates the beginning of a word, reading either vertically or horizontally. The same number in some cases begins both a vertical and a horizontal word. The definitions of the words to fill the diagram are given in the lists labeled HORIZONTAL and VERTICAL, with numbers showing where to start the words in the diagram. To see how many letters each word has, count the white spaces until you come to a black square. If you have put in the correct words, they should all agree, horizontally and vertically, with the definitions, and you have solved the puzzle correctly. The solution of today's puzzle will be shown in an early issue.

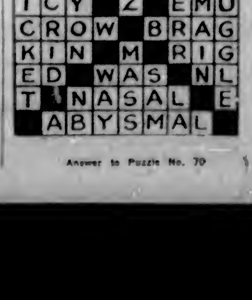
Key to Crossword Puzzle No. 71

Horizontal

1. Tumult.
4. Part of a shoe.
8. Tribes.
11. Very good.
14. Crippling, financial loss.
15. A means of transportation.
17. Cheek, or lateral part of the head.
18. To cross through shallow water.
19. With less color.
21. Tie.
23. Reverence.
24. Harmony.
26. Natural metal.
27. Preposition.
28. Prefix meaning with.
30. Exclamation.
31. Physician (ab.)
32. Something "gone but not forgotten."
33. A transformation.
36. Frozen water.
38. Search.
39. Individual.
40. Piece of tobacco.
42. Bag like part of animal or plant.
43. To extend, or make sufficient.
44. Knowledge.
46. Part of verb "to be."
48. Preposition.
49. Editor (ab.)
50. A refusal.
51. Substance resulting from electrolysis.
53. A chimney man.
59. Serpent.
60. Meaning two.
62. Auctions.
63. A drink.
64. Country in Southern Asia.
66. A plaything.
67. To shout.
68. Shrub bearing purple fruit.
70. Price.
71. A bird.
72. To hunt.

Vertical

1. Attack.
2. Stopping place.
3. A bone.
5. Measurement of type.
6. Piece of wood.
7. Journey, South African word.
8. An English coin.
9. Bait.
10. Silicate of magnesia.
12. In the year of.
13. Scotch lord.
15. Metal vessel.
16. Working party.
18. Beautiful.
19. Used in baseball scoring.
20. Railroad (ab.)
22. Limited time.
24. Ear of maize.
25. To render dense.
28. Unit of measurement.
29. Having suffered pain.
32. A vehicle.
33. Misery.
34. A fluid.
35. A familiar exclamation.
37. Evening (poetical)
41. A young girl.
45. Ancient defence of a house.
47. Terror of women.
50. A direction.
52. To fasten.
54. Personal pronoun.
55. Floor covering.
56. Plan.
57. In every crossword puzzle.
58. Part of the verb "to be."
59. To kick.
61. Boys.
63. Meat.
65. Cry of a feline.
67. Fish eggs.
69. Chief sun god of ancient Egyptians.
70. Personal pronoun.



Answer to Puzzle No. 70

Finance and Commerce

WINNIPEG WHEAT GAINS TWO POINTS

Market Opens Nervous, But Prices Held Within Narrow Limits in Spite of Lower Cables

WINNIPEG, Feb. 12.—The wheat market continued nervous and erratic during the early part of the session today, but price fluctuations were held within fairly narrow bounds with the close steady, 2 cents higher for May and July futures, while October closed ¼ cent lower.

Following the opening, which was 3 cents to 4½ cents higher for May in spite of sharply lower Liverpool cables, the market began to display weakness and prices declined to $1.88, but here good support came out from exporters and shippers. Millers were also picking up considerable wheat. While the buying power was not heavy it was sufficient to take up the slack, as offerings were not pressing. At no time did the market show any particular strength and the bulges were hard to hold.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	191	192½	188	190
July	185	188	182	182⅝
Oct.	144	146⅝	142	142⅝b
Oats—				
May	62	62¼	57½	59⅝b
July	63	63	56⅝	60⅝b
Oct.	59	56	55	55
Barley—				
May	99	99	92	96b
July	94½	94⅝	92¼a	93b
Oct.	..	..	..	82a
Flax—				
May	254	260	252	252b
July	261	263	251	254⅞
Oct.	240	249	238	238b
Rye—				
May	142	137	130	132¼
July	130	132½	129	132½

Cash Prices

Wheat—1 nor., 188; 2 nor., 182¼; 3 nor., 178½; No. 4, 168; No. 5, 161¼; No. 6, 150⅝; feed, 127; track, 187.

Oats—2 cw., 57⅝; 3 cw., 53½; extra 1 feed, 53⅝; 1 feed, 51⅛; 2 feed, 45⅛; rejected, 49⅝; track, 57⅝.

Barley—3 cw., 92⅝; 4 cw., 86⅞; rejected, 81⅛; feed, 79⅝; track, 93⅝.

Flax—1 nwc., 248; 2 cw., 244; 3 cw., 236; rejected, 236; track, 248.

Rye—2 cw., 149⅝.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE

(Supplied by H. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

Mining	Bid	Asked
Boundary Red Mountain	.13	.16
Bowena Copper	..	.10
Cons. M. & S.	..	68.00
Cork Province	.05	.07
Douglas Channel	..	.02
Dunwell Mines	3.75	4.50
Eldorado	..	.49
Glacier Creek	..	.21
Granby	19.00	..
Hazelton Gold Cobalt	..	.02
Hemlock Creek Placer	..	.62
Howe Sound	3.75	3.60
Independence	..	.20
Indian Mines	.07	.10
International Coal	..	.14
Modilliway Coal	.48	.75
Premier Mines	2.26	2.53
Rufus	.12	.15
Sheep Creek Cons.	..	.09½
Silver Crest Mines	..	.15
Silversmith	..	.16
Standard Silver Lead	..	.29
Sunloch Mines	.20	..
Surf Inlet Gold	.07	..
Terminus	.45	.55
L. & L. Glacier	.13½	.29
Oils		
Boundary Bay Oil	..	60 1-16
Empire Oil	..	.06½
Nourtan Oil	..	.08½
Sweetgrass	..	.09⅝
Trojan Oil	..	.06
Utility Oil	..	.06½
B.C. Montana	60½	.09½
Miscellaneous		
B.C. Perm. Loan	87.00	..
Canada National Fire	..	41.00
C.P.R.	147.00	147.00
Great West Perm. Loan	..	24.00
Gregory T. & R.	..	3.00
Amal. Appliance	..	.35

MONTREAL STOCKS

All Fractions in Eighths

	High.	Low.	Last.
Abitibi	43-2	43-2	43-2
Asbestos	43-6	42-2	42-6
Bell Telephone	132	132	132
Brompton Paper	28-6	28-2	28-6
Brazilian Trac	54-2	54-2	54-2
Can. Cement, com.	101-6	101-6	101-6
Can. Cement, pfd.	113	112	112
Can. Car Fdy. com.	53	53	53
Can. Car Fdy. pfd	89-6	89-4	89-4
Can. S. S. com	13-2	13-2	13-2
Can. S. S. pfd	47-6	47-4	47-4
Can. Cottons	111-6	111-4	111-4
Can. Converters	81	81	81
Cons. M. & S.	68	68	68
Detroit United	93	93	93
Dom. Bridge	96-2	96-2	96-2
Dom. Canners	95	95	95
Dominion Glass	..	..	144
Dom. Textile	70	70	70
L. of Woods Mfg.	187	187	187
Laurentide Co.	83	83	83
National Breweries	41-6	41-3	41-6
Mackay Co.	119	118	118
Atlantic Sugar	28-2	28-2	28-2
Ontario Steel	43	43	43
Howard Smith	37-4	37-4	37-4
Ogilvie Mlg. Co.	119	118	149
Ottawa Power	102	102	102
Penmans, Ltd.	150	150	150
Shawinigan	126	126	126
Spanish River Pulp	107-4	107-4	107-4
Spanish River Pulp, pfd.	131	131	131
Steel of Canada	86	86	86
Montreal Power	..	..	147-4
Twin City Elec.	52-7	52-7	52-7
Wayagamac Pulp	41	41	41
Bank of Commerce	..	..	196
Bank of Montreal	..	..	207-4
Royal Bank	..	..	226
Hochelaga	..	..	150

FOREIGN BOND PRICES

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

Argentine 5's 1927	96½
Belgian 7½'s 1945	105⅝
French 7½'s 1941	100½
French 5's 1946	103⅝
German 7's 1949 cfs	94⅝
Norway 6's 1952	100
Reine 7's 1942	90⅝
Sweden 5½'s 1954	96½

Quick Starting SHELL GASOLINE

VICTORY AND WAR LOANS

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

Victory Loan, 5½%—Tax Free	Buy	Sell.
Interest due—		
1927, 1st June and Dec.	102.49	102.40
1933, 1st May and Nov.	106.09	107.00
1937, 1st June and Dec.	106.39	109.30
War Loan, 5%		
1923, 1st June and Dec.	100.50	101.00
1931, 1st April and Oct.	101.40	102.10
1937, 1st Mar. and Sept.	101.35	101.65
(Payable New York)		
Victory Loan, 5½%		
1924, 1st May and Nov.	100.00	.....
1927, 1st May and Nov.	101.76	102.71
1933, 1st May and Nov.	103.26	104.26
1934, 1st May and Nov.	103.30	104.30
Dominion Loan, 5%		
1923, 15th April and Oct.	100.53	101.53
1942, 15th April and Oct.	101.49	102.49
Add accrued interest to date:		
1927, 1937, 73 days, $1.100 per $100.		
1933, 1932, 1933, 1934, 193 days, $1.362 per $100.		
1923, 1942, 129 days, $1.644 per $100.		

MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, Feb. 12. — Butter, stronger; eggs and cheese, firm.

Butter—No. 1 pasteurized, 31c; No. 1 creamery, 30c; seconds, 29c.

Eggs—Fresh extras, 58c; fresh firsts, 53c.

Potatoes—Per bag, car lots, 80c to 90c.

METAL MARKETS

LONDON, Feb. 12.—Standard copper spot, £65 2s. 6d.; futures, £66 2s. 6d.

Electrolytic spot, £70; futures, £70 10s.

Tin spot £264; futures, £267 5s.

Lead spot, £38 15s.; futures, £37 15s. 6d.

Zinc spot, £36 10s.; futures, £36.

MONEY MARKETS

LONDON, Feb. 12.—Money, 3 per cent. Discount rates: Short bills, 3⅝ to 3 11-16 per cent; three months' bills, 3⅝ to 3 13-16 per cent.

Sterling at Victoria

Buying, 4.76⅝.

Selling, 4.79⅝.

BAR SILVER

LONDON, Feb. 12.—Bar silver, 32½d per ounce.

Weekly Clearings of Canadian Banks

WINNIPEG, Feb. 12.—The following are the bank clearings for the principal cities of the Dominion of Canada for the week ending today, as compared with the corresponding period a year ago:

	1925	1924
Montreal	$80,363,348	$68,873,923
Toronto	78,616,488	94,123,816
Winnipeg	59,592,169	37,428,486
Vancouver	17,368,163	13,760,774
Calgary	6,308,436	7,106,140
Ottawa	5,380,836	5,331,480
Edmonton	4,968,634	3,761,493
Quebec	4,422,877	3,343,101
Hamilton	4,060,429	4,860,731
Regina	3,134,141	2,776,774
Windsor	2,737,073	2,413,230
St. John	2,379,947	2,423,403
Halifax	2,276,706	2,273,559
London	2,126,771	2,236,923
Victoria	1,686,444	1,747,474
Saskatoon	1,431,942	1,692,312
Moose Jaw	1,083,414	942,328
Brantford	921,466	847,284
Kitchener	749,747	1,134,477
Peterboro	734,868	626,322
Fort William	721,119	647,913
Sherbrooke	676,540	699,118
Moncton	647,682	496,116
New Westminster	570,499	466,264
Brandon	522,869	414,787
Lethbridge	447,611	473,724
Kingston	401,777	353,066
Prince Albert	347,681	342,436
Medicine Hat	241,437	241,872

Features of Stocks On Montreal 'Change

MONTREAL, Feb. 12.—Consolidated Smelters was the most prominent in regard to activity on today's stock market and registered an advance of 2¼, 69¾; second in volume came Atlantic Sugar. This issue closed at the new top of 29, up 2½. Steel of Canada was up ⅛ at 86.

Royal Bank was the strong feature, closing at 227, up 4. The big loss was suffered by Fontenac, which closed at 60, a net loss of five points.

Other changes: Asbestos, off ½ and the preferred off 1; Atlantic Sugar preferred, up 1¼; B.C. Fishing, up ¾; Canadian Car, off 2⅝; Canadian Cement, up 1⅝; Canada Steamships preferred, off 2; Dominion Glass, off ½; Lake of the Woods, up 2; Laurentide, up ½; National Breweries, off ¼; Quebec Power, up ½; Sherwin-Williams, off 1; Steel of Canada, up ⅛ and Tucketts, up 2.

VICTORIA CLEARINGS

Clearings for the week ending February 12 through the Victoria Clearing House were $1,885,554.

In the corresponding week last year they were $1,787,474.

LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Today, Lincoln's birthday, was observed as a legal holiday throughout the Northern States. All business establishments and schools were closed in the North. The South carried on business as usual.

Elevator at Prince Rupert

PRINCE RUPERT, Feb. 12.—Alex McLean, James Mercer and A. Cameron, officials of the Northern Construction Company, which has secured the contract for the construction of the new Government grain elevator here, have arrived in the city and are stated to be particularly well pleased with the elevator site.

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Business

Commercial Interests Alarmed by Burdens of Taxation—Necessity of Reduction in Levies Urged

There is a new Western situation.

The Western problem as such is passing away. We are likely to have new Western problems soon, which will probably be problems of growth, instead of one big Western problem, which was a problem of rescue, writes a correspondent to The Financial Post.

The old Western problem is being settled rapidly, not by any legislative or other controllable changes, but by a change in the basis of the fundamental economic situation of the West.

Two-dollar wheat might serve as a symbol of the change, but its use as such would be liable to misunderstanding. For, after all, only a small part of last year's crop can be sold at two dollars or better, and there is no great expectation that next year's crop will sell at two dollars or better.

But dollar wheat can be used as a symbol of the basis that has passed, of the basis on which were founded many of the troubles of the West and many of its grievances. And dollar wheat has gone, gone not in the sense that wheat may not again sell at a dollar a bushel, but gone in the sense that it was part of the essential economic structure of the West. Dollar wheat did seem to be a part of that structure. It seemed for a while as if the West must adjust its whole programme to raising wheat to sell at a dollar a bushel on the average, a little more when crops were light, a little less when they should be heavy.

Dollar wheat did not offer attractive prospects. It was not sufficient to attract more farmers to the land, nor to hold all those already there. It was not sufficient to enable some farmers to escape bankruptcy, nor to enable others to cope with their debtors except by heart-breaking struggle, nor to offer very rich rewards, even to the fortunate. On the basis of average crops, year in and year out, in the better districts and to good farmers, and to those not too much in debt, dollar wheat did offer a practicable way of life in farming, not too unsatisfactory. It did not offer much more, and to the less fortunate of farmers it did not offer that much. To the West as a whole it offered no great hope of a rapid increase of settlement to make use of the railway, business, and governmental organization already provided.

Upon the raising of wheat, and of wheat for export, prairie farming and prairie life in general have been, and are likely long to be, dependent. The milking of cows, the making of butter, the breeding of hogs, the fattening of cattle, the whole business of mixed farming; all these are very good in their way as supplementing the growing of wheat. But without the growing of wheat on a large scale, Western agriculture must perish, or shrink to such small dimensions that it would seem to have perished.

And it seems now that the world really wants and needs our wheat to a greater extent than before the war. It is evident that it is willing and ready to pay for it. It seems as if wheat, the premier food of mankind, is not likely often or for long to be depressed in value to the level of feed for livestock. (For a while last year, wheat and corn sold on a parity, and a considerable quantity of wheat was fed to livestock.) It seems likely that the farmers who raise wheat are likely to be well rewarded for their efforts, and that a country that can grow wheat of such quality and in such quantity as can Western Canada is going to be a desirable place in which to farm.

Wheat may sell at a dollar a bushel again. That might happen soon, although the world situation is against it happening for a year or more. But whatever comes, dollar wheat is gone, gone as a maximum beyond which the price of wheat might not rise. The West can stand wheat at a dollar a bushel when crops are plentiful if there is a chance of security or compensation in price when crops are light.

(Livestock prices are improving, too, but consider that covered in the statement that dollar wheat is gone.)

You can look for these things:

Profits in Western farming.

Farmers now on the land expanding their efforts, and the ones who have lately been thinking of giving it up resolved to continue.

Population attracted to the West, whether or not we have an immigration policy. And if we have such a policy, conditions in which its efforts may bring fruit, instead of being abortive.

A better class of immigrants than we lately dared hope for.

The payment of many Western debts which recently may have seemed hopeless.

Cheaper money for Western farmers because of their improving credit.

More business for the railways.

Improving financial position of provincial and municipal governments.

A market for the goods of manufacturers.

The West again taking the lead in the rapid development of Canada.

The spokesmen for the West when they present the West's needs saying, not, "This you must do to save us," but "This it will pay Canada to do that development may be still more satisfactory."

This change in conditions brought about by the disappearance of dollar wheat is not yet realized in the West, and can hardly be realized at all in the rest of Canada. It will be some time before realization catches up with conditions, just as realization lagged behind when the West fell into trouble, trouble so acute that it was uncomfortably close to being very serious. Only now is the seriousness of the situation in which the West found itself two years ago being realized, just as we are moving on to another basis entirely.

Perhaps it was not a bad thing to be slow in understanding the extent of our troubles. But it will be unfortunate if we are as slow in understanding the new prospect that is before us.

Canada has been on the defensive against adverse conditions for a long time. The battle has developed, once more she can take the initiative and act on the aggressive.

Metal Mike Steers New Liner

The above picture of the new Gyro Compass and Metal Mike was taken just before the departure of the Princess Kathleen from Clydebank. This new steering device has been installed so that all passengers may watch it when in operation. It practically does away with a quartermaster, lessens the veering of a vessel and is invaluable during foggy weather, keeping the steamer on a correct course.

C.P.S.S. FIRST TO INSTAL METAL MIKE

New Coastwise Steamer Is First Vessel In Service to Have New Steering Device

On her fifty-five-day voyage to this coast the Princess Kathleen has been steered practically the entire way, except through the Panama Canal, by that new steering device popularly known as Metal Mike, which is controller by gyro compass.

The Princess Kathleen is the first coastwise steamer to have the Metal Mike and gyro compass installed to replace the usual quartermaster, and there is no doubt that the new mechanism will prove of great value to the captain in charge, when on the triangle run, for in foggy weather the Princess Kathleen will be able to keep a far more steady course than if steered by hand.

Not only is the C.P.R. the first to install this new steering apparatus on a coastwise steamer, but they were also the first British steamship line to order the Metal Mikes for their transatlantic Empress liners.

This method of steering liners is entirely a new one and only in its infancy, but during the past six months many deep-sea liners have adopted the system.

Newly Organized Ice Cream Association Now Elects Its Officers

VANCOUVER, Feb. 12.—Joseph Calder, Moose Jaw, was elected president of the newly-organized Western Canada Ice Cream Association formed here at a meeting of the ice cream section of the Western Canada Dairy convention. Other officers are: Vice-president, A. Hoy, Vancouver; secretary-treasurer, Percy Reid, Moose Jaw; British Columbia directors, A. Hoy, T. H. A. Norton, Victoria, and George Exley, Vancouver; Alberta directors, J. W. Carlisle, Morley Henderson and W. W. Prevey; Saskatchewan directors, Joe Calder, Percy Reid, Mr. Hymen; Manitoba directors, Frank Snitzel, R. C. Pearsal, both of Winnipeg, and Mr. Curtis, Souris.

Ontario Liberals Move Amendment to Speech

TORONTO, Feb. 12.—Without committing themselves to any declaration on the merits or otherwise of the Government's proposed amendment to the Ontario Temperance Act, the Liberals moved today an amendment to the Speech from the Throne accusing the Premier of making a direct violation of his pledge regarding the act.

Ocean and Coastwise Movements

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

PORTLAND, Feb. 12. — Arrived, Captain A. F. Lucas, San Francisco. Sailed: El Segundo, San Pedro; Ohloan, Boston; West Keats, Dairen.

TACOMA, Feb. 12.—Arrived: Hoyeisan Maru, Yokohama; Glymont, Everett; Makiki, Honolulu. Sailed: Florence Luckenbach, Philadelphia; Glymont, Seattle; Robin Goodfellow, New York; Mogul, Britannia Beach.

SEATTLE, Feb. 12.—Arrived: Motorship Tosca, San Francisco; Glymont, Tacoma; Warwick, San Pedro; Northland, Everett. Sailed: Motorship Oregon, Ketchikan; Admiral Dewey, Pacific Shipper, San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 12.—Arrived: Rochelle, Blubber Bay; Admiral Sebree, Yale, San Pedro; Doylestown, Port Angeles; Curacao, Astoria. Sailed: W. S. Miller, San Pedro; Atlas, Aberdeen.

JUNEAU, Feb. 12.—Sailed: Alameda, Princess Mary, southbound.

EVERETT, Feb. 12.—Arrived: Admiral Dewey, Seattle; Everett, San Pedro. Sailed: Glymont, Tacoma; Northland, Seattle.

Arrived

BALTIMORE, Feb. 12. — Hanley, San Francisco.

KOBE, Feb. 10.—President McKinley, Tacoma.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Havana Maru, San Francisco.

GLASGOW, Feb. 11.—Tuscan Star, San Francisco.

CRISTOBAL, Feb. 11.—West Jappa, San Francisco.

Sailed

CRISTOBAL, Feb. 11. — W. W. Mills, San Pedro.

ANTWERP, Feb. 11. — Skipton Castle, San Francisco.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—J. L. Luckenbach, Manchuria, San Francisco.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 12.—Eagle, Los Angeles; Pacific, San Francisco.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 12.—F. J. Luckenbach, Seattle.

MANILA, Feb. 11.—West Carmon, Los Angeles.

C.G.M.M. MOVEMENTS

Canadian Freighter, Jan. 23, left Glasgow for Victoria.

Canadian Highlander, Feb. 4, arrived Swansea.

Canadian Importer, Jan. 31, left Norfolk for Antwerp.

Canadian Inventor, Feb. 7, arrived Yokohama.

Canadian Planter, Feb. 6, left Brisbane for Rabaul.

Canadian Prospector, Jan. 24, left Loutsburg for Neuvitas.

Canadian Skirmisher, Jan. 21, left Victoria for United Kingdom.

Canadian Spinner, Jan. 19, arrived New York.

Canadian Transporter, Feb. 2, arrived Vancouver.

Canadian Winner, Feb. 3, left Victoria for Boston.

Canadian Coaster, Feb. 7, left Ocean Falls for Astoria.

Canadian Farmer, Feb. 9, arrived San Francisco.

Canadian Observer, Feb. 6, left Astoria for San Pedro.

Canadian Rover, Jan. 30, arrived Vancouver.

Canadian Trooper, Feb. 7 left Vancouver for Sydney.

Canadian Volunteer, Feb. 5, left Panama Canal.

Canadian Ranger, Feb. 9, left San Francisco for United Kingdom.

Canadian Pioneer, Jan. 29, left Panama Canal.

Canadian Miller, Feb. 5, arrived Swanson Bay.

Canadian Voyageur, Jan. 30, left Panama Canal for Victoria.

SHIPPING CALENDAR

To Arrive

Tahiti, Australia, February 13.

Iyo Maru, Orient, February 13.

Hakata Maru, Orient, February 17.

President Jackson, Orient, February 21.

Empress of Russia, Orient, February 23.

To Sail

Alabama Maru, Orient, February 14.

Empress of Canada, Orient, February 20.

President Grant, Orient, February 20.

Iyo Maru, Orient, February 25.

COASTWISE SAILINGS

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C.P.R. Vessels—2:15 p.m. and 11:45 p.m., daily.

To Seattle

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To West Coast

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Victoria to Lake Cowichan, 9 a.m. Wednesday and Saturday.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS FEBRUARY

China and Japan

Empress of Asia—Mails close Feb. 6, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama, Feb. 18; Shanghai, Feb. 22; Hong Kong, Feb. 25.

President Jefferson—Mails close Feb. 8, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama, Feb. 20; Shanghai, Feb. 25; Hong Kong, March 1.

Alabama Maru—Mails close Feb. 14, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama, March 3.

Empress of Canada—Mails close Feb. 20, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama, March 4; Shanghai, March 8; Hong Kong, March 11.

Iyo Maru—Mails close Feb. 25, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama, March 14.

Australia and New Zealand

Aorangi—Mails close Feb. 6, 4 p.m. Due at Auckland, Feb. 24; Sydney, March 3.

Sonoma (via San Francisco)—Mails close Feb. 7, 4 p.m. Due at Sydney, March 3.

Tahiti (via San Francisco)—Mails close Feb. 22, 4 p.m. Due at Wellington, March 16; Sydney, March 21.

Ventura (via San Francisco)—Mails close Feb. 28, 4 p.m. Due at Sydney, March 24.

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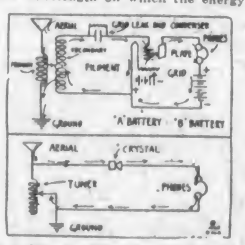
Radio Notes

Timely Tips and Suggestions on the Latest Diagrams and Hook-ups—Simplified.

By F. M. Russell

The Radio Set as an Oscillator

The fundamental function of the radio set is to change radiocast energy into sound and to select the desired station by tuning the set to the wavelength on which the energy



is radiocast. First the energy is received from the broadcasting station on the antenna by way of the ether. It is then conducted to the set and tuned to resonance by the tuning units. It is then fed to the detector, which may be either a crystal or a tube.

The energy that is broadcast is pulsating at a velocity of anywhere from 50,000 to 1,000,000 cycles a second, which is too fast for the human ear to detect. Therefore, it is necessary to have a method of changing or rectifying this energy which is called radio frequency into audible frequency of about 5,000 cycles a second, which is called audio frequency. Either the crystal or the tube may be used to do this. In the crystal set the energy accumulated on the antenna is the source of power that causes the oscillation. In the tube set, batteries are used to amplify or enlarge the received impulse. The oscillating circuit is in the crystal, tuner to detector, to phones to tuner and to ground. In the tube set, tuner to tube, to phones, to tuner, to ground. These circuits are shown in the illustration.—Copyright, 1924, by S. N. L. Technical Syndicate.

TODAY'S RADIO

Programme of Principal Western Broadcasting Stations

CFCT, Fletcher Bros., Victoria (410)—8:00 p.m., studio concert programme broadcast by Fletcher Bros.' Music and Radiola House. Miss Dorothy Greenwood, pianist; Mr. James Bryant, tenor; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Groves, society entertainers in monologue specialties. Mr. W. N. Kelly will give a talk on "The Flax Plant and Its Uses."

KFI, Los Angeles, Cal. (Pacific, 469)—6:45 to 8 p.m., Aeolian organ recital; 8 to 9 p.m., programme from Herald Studio; 9 to 10 p.m., programme from Examiner Studio; 10 to 11 p.m., Oriental song recital.

KGO, Oakland, Cal. (Pacific, 360)—3 p.m., studio musical programme and speaker; 4 to 5:30 p.m., concert orchestra of the Hotel St. Francis, Vinton la Ferrera conducting; 5:30 to 6 p.m., the Girls' Half Hour, conducted by Esther Wood Schneider.

KGW, Portland, Ore. (Pacific, 485)—12:30 p.m., concert; 5 p.m., children's programme; story by Aunt Nell; 8 p.m., lecture sponsored by University of Oregon Extension Division; 10:20 p.m., Hoot Owls.

KHJ, Los Angeles, Cal. (Pacific, 404)—2:30 to 3:30, matinee musicale by courtesy of the Pacific States Electric Company; 6 to 8:30 p.m., Art Hickman's Concert Orchestra from the Biltmore Hotel, Edward Fitzpatrick, director; 7:30 p.m., Harry R. Carroll, past president of the Los Angeles Advertising Club and West Coast Advertising Club, speaker; 7:45 p.m., Capt. John T. Riley will talk on the "Income Tax"; 8 to 10 p.m., programme presented through the courtesy of John Wright, the Right Tailor, arranged by Charlie Wellman.

KPO, San Francisco, Cal. (Pacific, 430)—12:45 p.m., Commonwealth Club luncheon talk, broadcast from the Palace Hotel; 1 to 2 p.m., Rudy Seiger's Fairmont Hotel orchestra; 4:30 to 5:30 p.m., Rudy Seiger's Fairmont Hotel orchestra; 8 to 9 p.m., dance music by the "Cleveland Six orchestra of the Chandler-Cleveland Motor Co., under the direction of Will Gunsendorfer; 9 to 10 p.m., one-act play by the Theatre Arts Club, Taima Zetta Wilbur, directing.

KFQX, Seattle, Wash. (Pacific, 238)—7:15 to 7:45 p.m., Aunt Vivien's Bedtime Story; 8 to 9 p.m., Earl Gray and his orchestra; 9 to 10 p.m., concert hour; 10 to 11 p.m., Earl Gray and his Butler Hotel orchestra.

CKCK, Regina, Sask. (420).

CFAC, Calgary, Alta. (410).

CFCK, Edmonton, Alta. (440).

CFYC, Vancouver, B.C. (400).

MARINE and TRANSPORTATION

Princess Kathleen Now Making Record Trip Up the Coast

Due Here This Afternoon One Day Ahead of Schedule, Thus Creating New Record Between San Diego and Victoria—Capt. J. W. Troup Reports Trip More Than Satisfactory

COST C.P.R. THREE MILLIONS TO BUILD NEW STEAMERS

MAKING a record run up from San Diego, her last port of call, the new C.P.R. steamer Princess Kathleen will dock in the Inner Harbor at 3 o'clock this afternoon, according to latest wireless advice from Captain J. W. Troup, manager of the B.C. Coast Steamship Services, who is on board.

Not scheduled to arrive until Saturday, the Princess Kathleen is running true to the reputation that she made in her trials on the Clyde, and by docking here this afternoon will arrive twenty-four hours ahead of schedule.

Captain J. W. Troup, manager of the B.C. Coast Service, is on board, and in a wireless message to the local office reports the maiden trip of the Princess Kathleen all that he had expected. Averaging 22 knots an hour in her trials, the new C.P.R. steamer has been keeping this speed almost the entire journey out to this coast. Especially on the run up from San Diego is her speed being shown, and if she docks on time a new speed record between San Diego and Victoria will have been established.

The Princess Kathleen is the most palatial coastwise steamer on this coast, and by far the largest and most powerful, while her sister ship, the Princess Marguerite, which will leave shortly for Victoria, will share on her arrival here.

Twin-Screw Steamer

A twin-screw steamer of 368 feet in length, 60 feet beam and 28.9 feet deep, the Princess Kathleen will prove a valuable acquisition to the C.P.R. coastwise fleet, which already totals eleven large steamers, especially on the triangle run to which she has been allocated.

The new Princess is a vessel of 6,000 gross tons and has a maximum speed of 22.5 knots an hour, and 21 knots service speed. She has two pole masts, three funnels, and extensive deck erections, presenting a beautiful and imposing appearance.

The hull is subdivided by eight bulkheads extending to the main deck, while additional subdivision is afforded by carrying some of the bulkheads to the upper deck. There are in all five spacious decks, four of which have been placed at the disposal of passengers.

De Luxe Suites

Accommodation is provided for 317 first-class passengers in two and three-berth cabins, while there are seventeen large de luxe suites, fitted out in luxurious style and well appointed, with sitting-room and special toilet requisites. These are situated on the upper promenade decks and are notable for their privacy. Another twenty-two two-berth cabins are situated on the boat decks, and these, together with the seventeen de luxe suites, have private bathrooms.

Luxurious Saloons

The public halls are commodious and luxuriously fitted. The dining-room has a large seating capacity and resembles the dining-rooms of one of the large Empresses. This room may be used, when any occasion arises, for a ballroom. A new feature about this vessel is the large social hall, which is well appointed and is equipped with rich lounges and pianos. The sitting-room and waiting-rooms are combined, while a library and veranda cafe are two other additional features not seen in any of the other coastwise steamers. The usual observation and smoking-rooms have been provided.

Powerful Engines

The propelling machinery consists of Brown-Curtis turbines operating through single reduction gearing, and obtaining steam from six cylindrical boilers and two Yarrow watertube boilers all burning oil fuel.

The Canadian Pacific had contributed to shipbuilding firms of the Clyde up to the time of the launching of the Princess Kathleen, approximately $110,000,000 worth of construction. They still have another liner to be completed before a final estimate can be made. The Princess Kathleen cost $1,500,000 to build, while the Princess Marguerite cost the same; this, together with a $150,000 deepsea tug en route here, brings the total expenditure on new boats for this coast for C.P.R. service to $3,150,000.

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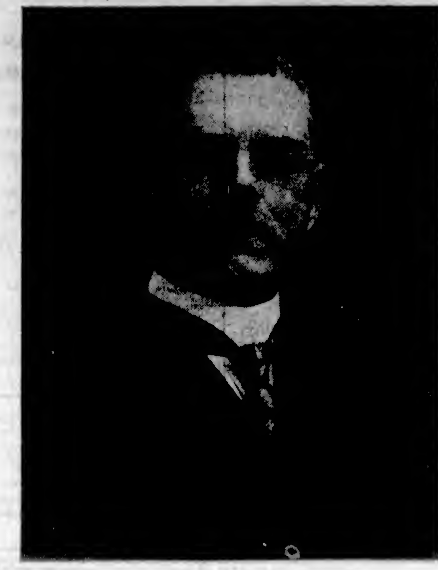

CAPTAIN J. W. TROUP

At a banquet at the Empress Hotel on Monday evening Captain J. W. Troup, manager of the B. C. Coast Steamship Service, will be made a presentation on behalf of the citizens of Victoria, indicating their appreciation for his valuable service not only to the C. P. R. in aiding in the designing of the two new steamers coming here, but also for the wholehearted support he has consistently given any movement of port development. It might modestly be said that Captain Troup has taken a big share in the building up of Victoria.

Marine, Victoria. Admiralty Charts—Nos. 1922, 579 and 2689. Publication—British Columbia Pilot, Vol. 1, 1923, page 191. Canadian List of Lights and Fog Signals—1924, No. 2313-4 Departmental File — No. 2213-4 R.

Fisher Channel—Cousins Inlet—Ocean Falls—Light Established—Position: On beacon at mouth of Link River, between Dock No. 1 and Dock No. 2. Character: Fixed red electric light. Description: Pile beacon. Remarks: Light maintained by the Pacific Mills, Limited.

Harry Knight Wins Strongheart Trophy

BANFF, Feb. 11.—Mushing behind a team of six mongrel dogs, led by Nipingon, half wolf and half bulldog, Harry Knight, 18-year-old Banff boy, won the Strongheart trophy for the second consecutive year when he arrived at Banff at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, after making the 86 miles from Calgary to Banff in 11 hours and 48 minutes. Ike Mills, Banff, driving his famous team of "All-Blacks," including two dogs from the winning Pas derby team, was a quarter of a mile behind Knight.

H.A. LINERS WILL CALL AT HALIFAX

Will Resume Calls at Canadian Port En Route to New York—Will Increase Immigration

MONTREAL, Feb. 12.—Canadian National Railway headquarters here announced today that the Holland-American Line westbound steamers would resume their calls at Halifax en route to New York, which were discontinued last October. Expectation of increased immigration to Canada from continental ports is given as the reason, and it is pointed out that the Canadian National immigration department has been carrying on considerable work in Holland. The Canadian National has made an arrangement with the Holland-American Line for the handling of incoming immigrants at Halifax.

SHIPPING INFORMATION

SUNRISE AND SUNSET FEBRUARY

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard Time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of February, 1925:

	Sunrise	Sunset		Sunrise	Sunset
1	7:44	5:10	15	7:21	5:34
2	7:43	5:11	16	7:19	5:35
3	7:41	5:13	17	7:17	5:36
4	7:39	5:15	18	7:16	5:38
5	7:37	5:17	19	7:14	5:39
6	7:35	5:18	20	7:12	5:41
7	7:34	5:20	21	7:11	5:42
8	7:32	5:22	22	7:08	5:44
9	7:31	5:24	23	7:07	5:46
10	7:28	5:23	24	7:03	5:47
11	7:27	5:27	25	7:03	5:49
12	7:26	5:26	26	7:01	5:51
13	7:24	5:31	27	6:58	5:53
14	7:23	5:33	28	6:57	5:53

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

TIDES AT VICTORIA FEBRUARY

Date	Time. H.M.	H't Ft.	Time. H.M.	H't Ft.	Time. H.M.	H't Ft.	Time. H.M.	H't Ft.
1			9:03	8.9	17:34	4.1		
2			9:43	9.0	17:58	3.7		
3			10:21	9.0	18:38	3.2		
4			11:00	8.9	19:15	2.8		
5	5:19	8.5	6:33	8.8	11:38	8.9	19:48	2.3
6	5:42	8.8	7:33	8.4	12:14	8.8	20:23	2.3
7	6:02	8.3	8:33	8.2	12:46	8.7	20:54	2.1
8	6:15	8.4	8:14	7.9	13:17	8.8	21:27	2.1
9	6:14	8.3	9:53	7.6	13:51	8.4	22:01	2.4
10	6:02	8.1	10:33	7.3	14:33	8.2	22:36	2.7
11	6:16	8.0	11:17	6.3	13:34	7.5	23:10	3.3
12	6:33	8.1	12:37	6.3	15:58	7.3	23:48	4.3
13	6:51	8.2	13:02	5.8	18:33	6.8		
14	0:11	4.8	7:12	8.4	14:08	4.8	18:43	8.8
15	0:38	5.3	7:26	8.6	15:08	4.8	21:33	6.4
16	0:58	6.3	8:04	8.9	15:58	3.6		
17			8:37	9.2	17:03	3.1		
18			9:21	9.3	17:54	2.3		
19			10:12	9.4	18:42	2.3		
20	4:21	8.3	6:21	8.0	11:34	8.4	19:31	1.8
21	4:44	8.5	7:16	7.8	12:36	8.3	20:15	1.8
22	4:42	8.3	8:26	7.3	13:28	8.0	21:02	1.8
23	4:33	8.2	9:34	6.8	14:33	7.7	21:48	2.3
24	4:49	8.3	10:13	6.0	15:18	7.3	22:34	3.1
25	5:19	8.4	11:11	5.3	16:19	7.3	23:23	3.9
26	5:43	8.4	12:52	5.8	17:31	7.1	23:39	4.8
27	6:15	8.3	13:33	4.3	19:33	8.7		
28	0:17	5.7	6:48	8.5	15:33	4.3	20:46	8.5

The time used is Pacific Standard, for the 120th meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of lower low water.

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Third Round Draw For Scottish Cup

GLASGOW, Feb. 12.—The draw for the third round of the Scottish Football Association Cup to be played on February 21 follows:

Kilmarnock vs. Dykehead.
St. Mirren vs. Partick Thistle.
Aberdeen vs. Motherwell.
Broxburn vs. Falkirk.
Hamilton vs. Raith.
Rangers vs. Arbroath.
Dundee vs. Airdrieonians.
Celtic vs. Vale of Leven or Solway Star.

Pointer Best Dog At Madison Square

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—For the first time in thirty-five years a pointer tonight was chosen the best dog in the Westminster dog show, in Madison Square Garden. The winner was Champion Governor Moscow, owned by Robert F. Maloney, Pittsburgh. Champion Governor Moscow is a 4-year-old. In taking first honors he won over 500 dogs of other breeds.

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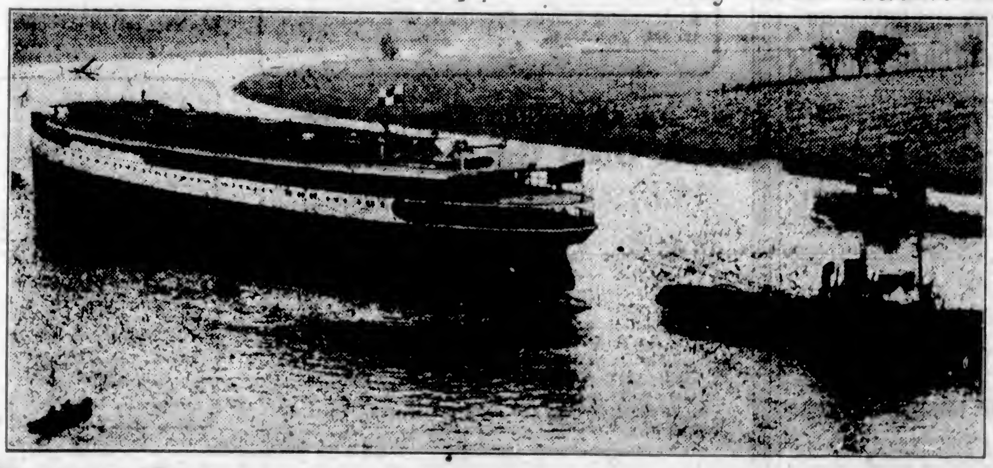
As The Princess Kathleen Appeared Shortly After Launching



Lady Mount Stephen broke the bottle of champagne over the bow of the Princess Kathleen as she slipped down the ways at Clydebank into the river. Sir Thomas Bell presented the sponsor on this occasion with a replica in silver, enclosed in a tortoiseshell case, of the Ardagh Chalice, the original of which is now in the Dublin Museum. This chalice is 9½ inches in diameter, and in addition to the silver of which it is formed, gold, copper, brass and bronze are used in the ornamentation. Below the band on the body there are engraved the names of the Apostles, which, together with the style of the filigree ornament—which was used by the monks of the period in enriching their writings—appear to show that the cup was used for ecclesiastical purposes. The chalice, which probably belongs to the tenth century, was found at Ardagh, County Limerick, in 1868 by a man who was digging potatoes.

NOTICE TO MARINERS

Vancouver Island—Juan de Fuca Strait—Sheringham Point—Fog alarm to be established, on or about March 1, 1925, immediately south of lighthouse tower, latitude N. 48 deg., 22 min., 20 sec., longitude W. 123 deg., 55 min., 45 sec. Description: Diaphone, operated by air compressed by oil engines, will give two blasts of 2½ seconds duration every minute, thus: Blast, 2½ seconds; silence, 3 seconds; blast, 2½ seconds; silent interval, 52 seconds. Structure: White square wooden building. Remarks: Horn projects from south side of building. Authority—Report from Agent, Department of Marine, Victoria. Admiralty Charts—Nos. 1911, 1917 and 2521. Publication—British Columbia Pilot, Vol. 1, 1923, page 30. Canadian List of Lights and Fog Signals, 1924; to be inserted with No. 2266:5. Department File — No. 22266.5-C.

Vancouver Island, East Coast—Sidney—Buoy established in 15 feet of water, on edge of dredged channel leading to the automobile ferry landin, latitude N. 48 deg., 38 min., 35 sec., longitude W. 123 deg., 23 min., 37 sec. Description: Red wooden spar buoy.

Fraser River—Deas Channel North Light Replaced—Former notice No. 33 (100) of 1924. Deas Channel north light, occulting white, situated on the north bank of the Fraser River, opposite Deas Island, has been rebuilt and is in operation. Authority—Report from Agent, Department of

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TWO MORE RECORDS BROKEN BY BOWLERS

Two more of this season's records were broken on Wednesday evening, when Holden, rolling for the United Commercial Travelers, turned in 247 in his third game and a total for the three games of 602. The previous best score for a single game being 233, rolled by Kennedy (Colonist), and three-game total, Hawkins, also of The Colonist, of 587. Holden received little support from the balance of the Travelers, and the Wilcox Hat Company team took the odd game of the series. The Hatters played a consistent game, three of the players rolling over the 500 mark.

Wilcox Hat Company

	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Ttl.
Ostman	197	193	164	544
Coxworth	134	129	148	411
Shepheard	188	172	150	510
Moulton	149	160	167	476
Wilcox	201	116	184	501
Totals	841	770	813	2442

United Commercial Travelers

	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Ttl.
Christie	175	137	163	475
Holden	191	164	247	602
Marshall	104	104	142	350
Huxtable	127	125	213	465
Aaronson	126	112	99	337
Totals	723	642	864	2229

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Vicious Dogs Are Bane Of Island Sheep Farms

Seven Fine Ewes Killed, Others Hounded and Lost, by Band of Four Canines at Metchosin Last Week—Animals More Cunning Than Coyotes Threaten to Put Sheep Raisers Out of Business—Government Urged to Reimburse Farmers

BY "SHEEPHAISER"

As indicative of the heavy losses to the sheep owners of Vancouver Island and, in fact, of the whole Province, from the ravages of uncontrolled and useless dogs, was that which occurred on the Van der Byl farm at Metchosin last week, when seven fine ewes were destroyed within one hundred yards of the house and several others not yet found driven away and probably killed. This was evidently the work of, at least, four dogs. The damage which has been done, together with previous heavy losses from the same cause, has set Mr. R. I. Van der Byl back to where he began some years ago in the sheep business.

Undoubtedly in Vancouver Island we have one of the finest sheep countries of the world. In many respects it is like New Zealand, more particularly the North Island, where thousands of sheep are grazing on logged-off and cleared bush lands which have been seeded down to tame grasses. In New Zealand there are grazed twenty-four millions of sheep. In British Columbia, which has four times the area of New Zealand, there are but 50,000 sheep.

The grazing of sheep on our logged-off lands is the solution of their economic use but the utmost protection and encouragement is due the man who sinks his all in the bush farm and expends his efforts in doing his part to supply the home market with his share of mutton and lamb for which the sum of $1,341,000 is now being annually sent out of the Province for the meat we demand in our daily fare.

Protection Essential

The principle upon which the development of the sheep business of this fair Province depends, therefore, is this: "If there is only one man in an entire district who owns a flock of sheep that man has more right to graze those sheep in safety than all the owners of dogs in the district have the right to run their dogs at large."

The permanent prosperity of the Province depends on the successful development of its farming communities and the welfare of every farm is dependent largely on the profitable raising of a farm flock of sheep. With dogs uncontrolled in a district this development is largely curtailed. This principle is so thoroughly recognized everywhere in the Canadian Provinces and in the United States that the most drastic legislation has been enacted.

In British Columbia we have the Sheep Protection Act, creating districts in which dogs are taxed and within which they must be kept under control. Even in the established districts the dog owners are resentful of restrictions placed on the liberty of their dogs and are careless in their control of them. A right of action is, of course, provided against the man who owns the dog doing the damage but, as these sheep-killing dogs are more cunning than the coyote, most of their damage is done at night; it does not avail the sheep-owner much when he does not see the dogs or their owner is unknown.

Reimbursement Urged

What is needed is the establishment of a fund to reimburse the sheep-owner for his loss. This should be created from the dog tax collected. Furthermore, the Sheep Protection Act should apply to the Province as a whole. All of the Eastern provinces recognize this urgent need and provide for reimbursement.

The coyote and cougar kill to eat and do not unnecessarily destroy. The sheep-killing dog seldom eats of its kill—they are generally cunning pets well-fed at home—but they chase and worry until a whole flock suffers. For example, the worrying of the Van der Byl flock four years ago, when eighty-six head of ewes were lambing, resulted in eighteen head killed, six head lost—probably killed, and thirteen lambs out of the whole bunch. One thousand dollars would not cover that loss. The loss this year in killed, lost and prematurely born lambs will probably not be covered by less than $200. Is it any wonder that the farmers of the land question the advisability of carrying a flock of sheep on the farm? Is it any wonder that the laws of all the provinces and of almost every state in the United States allow their citizens the right to shoot on sight any dogs found worrying domestic stock or for being at large during prohibited hours?

Dog Owners Responsible

We all love the dog as the friend and companion of man but it cannot be left to think for itself—its owner must do this for it, otherwise both must suffer.

On the average the wool realized from $1.25 to $2 per head this year where wool was marketed through the farmers' organization. Lambs fetched last year from $10.50 to $12.50 per head on foot wholesale. The lamb crop on the Island was over 100 per cent.

No complaint can be made of Island sheep-raising except the artificial existence of such pests as dogs, with panther raids ocasionally; but with the latter animal there is a $40 bounty and skin and carcass are both valuable. Panther meat is purchased by Chinese but dog meat does not appeal apparently.

Until the ranges are made safer, which can only be done economically by people controlling their pets effectually and the police prosecuting those who will not do so, we shall continue to see vast sums leave this country and if woolen mills are established then raw materials will be imported.

NEW SUIT BRINGS ABOUT LAW SUIT

ACTION BY FYVIE BROS. TO RECOVER PRICE OF GARMENTS

Apparel Not at All What One Would Get in London, Declares Mr. C. E. Straker

After listening to details connected with auto collisions for two whole days, with conflicting testimony as to the speed of cars and the effect of impact, Judge Lampman yesterday morning was transported into the realm of clothing, with "plus four," "fall over" and similar terms in common use. The action was one brought by Fyvie Bros. against Charles Edward Straker to recover the price of a suit of clothes evidently intended to be a sort of hybrid between a lounge suit and a golf habit. Judgment was reserved by His Honor, as there were several knotty little points relating to the transaction on which he wished to consult the authorities cited.

The records of the court indicate that perhaps in point of fastidious fashions in the last fourteen years the feminine branch of the human family has taken second place to the masculine. His Honor, remarking upon the welcome change from the auto accident evidence to that of clothing, said that it was fourteen years since a case involving clothes had been up in his court, and on that occasion it had to do with ladies' apparel.

The contention of the plaintiff firm, represented by Mr. Joshua Hinchliffe, was that the defendant, who entertained the opinion that the only place where sartorial satisfaction could be obtained was London, had been persuaded to get a suit from the local tailors. It was made by the plaintiffs, who contended that it was accepted after the defendant had tried it on in front of the mirrors for about half an hour. Trouble arose later, and the defendant refused the suit, taking the ground that it did not fit.

Three months after the declaration that the suit would not be accepted, a bill was rendered by the plaintiffs. When payment was not made, the action was commenced. At the time that the suit was first delivered and tried on, payment was made by cheque covering the $75 price.

The defendant, represented by Mr. Roy Manzer, gave a different interpretation of the transaction. Mr. Straker admitted that he had his own ideas about dressing. He intimated that his fastidiousness did not demand the very latest in clothing. However, he wanted his clothes made as London tailors would make them for him. There must be no padding. They must fit easily across the shoulders and conform in other ways to his preference.

He said there was an understanding that this was to be a trial suit, as it were, and that there was an implied undertaking that it would be made according to his tastes or it would not be taken off the hands of the tailor. He had explained what he wanted and had even prepared plans of the suit, which were left with the plaintiff.

When he declined to pay for the garments he announced that he would stop payment of the cheque. In view of this, the plaintiffs said, they handed back the cheque. On the other hand, it is argued that this return of the cheque indicated that the plaintiffs had accepted the guarantee stipulation.

TRAINS MAROONED BY RAILROAD STRIKERS

Laborers on Chinese Line Tear Up the Tracks and Also Assault Volunteer Crews

TSINGTAO, China, Feb. 12.—The railwaymen, who went on strike on Tuesday as a protest against the discharge of 200 men, today attacked a volunteer crew which was operating a train on the Tsinan-Kiachow Railway, injuring twenty persons, including some Japanese. The strikers tore up the rails and marooned the train, the passengers on which suffered for many hours from the cold and lack of food.

The people of Shantung are demanding that the Governor of the province arrest the management of the railway.

WILL GIVE LECTURE ON GARDEN METHODS

The general public are invited to attend a free lecture and demonstrations on modern pruning, spraying and tree grafting by Mr. W. H. Robertson, of the Provincial Department of Horticulture, in the Council Chamber of the City Hall on Tuesday at 8:15 p.m.

Mr. Robertson will, by practical demonstration, show the difference between the old and the new methods of pruning and discuss the reasons for the change. Samples of some of the new miscible oil sprays that are proving valuable in the control of insect pests, especially the rose leaf-roller, will be exhibited and practical directions given for using these sprays to secure the best results.

The new method of tree grafting that has changed this from an obscure and cumbrous process to one that can be successfully performed by any amateur in a very short time, will be fully illustrated and explained.

This lecture is the second of a series on practical horticultural subjects under the auspices of the Victoria and District Gardeners' Association. The garden lovers of the city and district, ladies especially, are asked to co-operate with the Association and make the lecture a success.

Save $15 Each on Cattle

TORONTO, Feb. 12.—Dr. J. E. Grisdale, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, told the Canadian Hereford Breeders' Association here yesterday that he hoped to see a reduction in the ocean freight rates for Canadian cattle to Great Britain of perhaps $15 a head. The present market overseas was for heavy cattle, and Canadian beef was gaining in favor. One-quarter of the "Scotch beef on the Smithfield Market last year was of Canadian origin."

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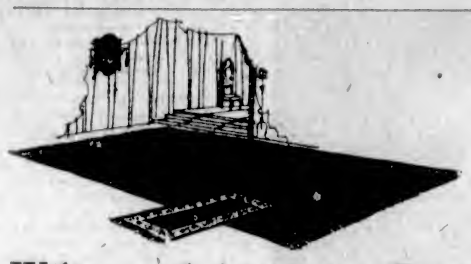

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